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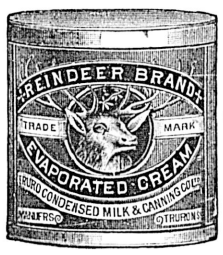

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EXPERIMENTAL FARMS.

Prof. Saunders Says That the Largest Variety of Fruits in the World Is Growing at Agassiz.

Prof. Saunders, director of Dominion experimental farms, arrived in town on Sunday for a short visit, returning to the Mainland this morning. He is on his annual trip of inspection and came rather earlier than usual, this year, so that he might attend the Agassiz convention. The Northwest crops he found to be remarkably fine, owing to the favorable weather and the abundant rainfall. Prof. Saunders visited the Delta after the convention, and found the crops there very fine, especially oats and hay. One field of oats he saw there, he considers to be the finest he ever came across. The new creamery at the Delta came in for its share of attention and Prof. Saunders believes it will be a success. At the Experimental farm, there are now 130 acres under cultivation and for six years' work this makes a remarkable showing. The farm now contains the largest variety of fruit of any place in the world, there being no less than 1,800 varieties growing there. The plan has been systematically carried out of testing the different kinds of fruit most suited to the country, and the wonderful display was a surprise to the fruit growers visiting Agassiz There are besides 50 acres in fruit, 700 trees planted on the bench lands on the mountains, starting at an elevation of 150 feet above the valley and being at the highest 1,500 feet above sea level. The trees on the mountain sides seemed even more vigorous than those in the valley, indicating that the hills were eminently suitable for fruit growing and giving a profitable solution of how to utilize the hilly sections of the province, which are not suitable for agriculture. Prof. Saunders goes to Vancouver and Westminster for a day and then proceeds to the interior, visiting Vernon and the Okanagan valley among other places.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Gardening tools at Cheapside.

CABLE NEWS.

Failure of the Agitation in Macedonia—Round the World in a Sloop.

European Attention Called to the Missionary Massacres in China—A Russian Sealing Scandal.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The movements of the insurgents in Macedonia have not been reported at Constantinople for several days. The agitation is regarded as having completely failed.

Emperor William has arrived at Cowes on board the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern. His Majesty was met by the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught on behalf of the Queen.

There have been a number of suicides in the army during the past fortnight, there being three cases of self-destruction in the same regiment. During the manœuvres at Mannheim four soldiers were killed by sunstroke.

Prince Max of Saxony has been ordained a priest by the bishop of Eichstadt, Bavaria, his father, Prince George of Saxony, being present.

The 40 foot sloop Spray, Capt. Joshua Slocum, which sailed from East Boston, Mass., on April 24, and from Gloucester on May 8, for Gibralter, on a voyage around the world, has arrived at Gibralter after a voyage of 89 days.

Signor Martino has been ordered to return immediately to Rio de Janeiro to effect a settlement of the Italian claims against the government of Brazil.

The King of Denmark has passed a bad night. He suffered from frequent pains, and his condition is thought to be serious.

Continuous rains have ruined the rice crops in many parts of Japan and famine is feared. Many lives have already been lost and the damage done is enormous.

At a crowded meeting to-day of European residents in Shanghai speeches condemning the action of the Chinese authorities regarding the massacre of missionaries at Wah Han, near Kicheng, on Thursday last, were made and a resolution was adopted to appeal directly to the European governments against the outrage. The resolution also referred to the inadequate manner in which China has dealt with the perpetrators of former outrages.

Lieut.-Col. Moline, at the head of a force of 40 auxiliary troops, has had a skirmish with the Cuban insurgents commanded by the well known leader Matazas at Sansa Terres, in the province of Santa Clara. The insurgents attempted to surround the troops, but the latter were reinforced by 40 infantry and charged the enemy, which numbered 200, and dispersed them with many wounded. The troops captured ten saddle horses carrying provisions, and during the engagement 20 horses, carrying ammunition and other supplies, were killed. Among the killed was Capt. Jose Reyes Cadrera of the insurgent forces.

An extraordinary scandal has just come to light in connection with Russia and the Behring sea patrol. About the middle of last winter a firm of furbrokers in Hamburg received 5,000 sealskins with instructions to forward them to London in time for the big February sale, which occurs here every year. It was noticed that the packages did not bear the usual marks, and what also struck the people as peculiar was that not one of the skins had a bullet hole in it. It is now reported on good authority that these skins were sent by the officers of the Russian warship which left Robin's island last September and it is presumed that the enterprise was the private speculation of those who were sent to protect the seals. The Russians were encamped on the island for four or five months, and as is customary, no one was allowed to land on the island during their stay there. It is presumed that the crew employed their time in clubbing these seals. The skins were sold at Lampson's here last February.

IS IT A FAKE?

Report of Still Another Durrant Story Which Had Been Kept Secret For Family Reasons.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5.—There is another story about Durrant in circulation on the south side that the police have not yet been able to trace. It is said that a year ago Durrant was very near to jail on a very serious charge. The alleged victim in this case was a young girl not yet 11 years old. She went to church with the young man, according to the report, and on her return to her home told such a story of what she had suffered at his hands that the child's parent proposed having him arrested for felony. The horror of making the child's misfortune public, however, and the fear that the stigma would remain with her through life, was so great that in the end they determined to let the man go unpunished rather than to injure their daughter, as they thought the other course would do. Only a very few people knew of it—the family physician, and an intimate friend or two. When Durrant was arrested for the Emanuel church murders, one of the friends who knew the story went to the child's parents and urged them to allow the matter to be exposed, but unsuccessfully. Durrant's attorneys say the story is a fake.

ARMS FOR HONOLULU.

Hawaiian Secret Service Officers Awaiting Important Rebel Consignments at Tacoma.

TACOMA, Aug. 5.—For several weeks a secret service agent of the Hawaiian government has been stationed here. He and a Seattle detective are watching for an expected shipment of several hundred rifles and half a dozen Gatling guns, which it is believed Hawaiian royalist sympathizers have ordered from Eastern manufacturers. There are several other agents stationed in Oregon and California. One of the agents on the Sound stated this week that 500 or 600 short rifles were shipped West over the Great Northern last October and November, loaded aboard a smuggling schooner at Ballard and landed in Hawaii, probably on Maui island. Some of them, he said, were captured at the time of the January revolution, and the balance are yet secreted on the islands. The agent who has been here bears credentials signed by E G. Hitchcock, marshal of the Hawaiian republic, and receives regular remittances from Honolulu.

THE INSURANCE MURDERS.

A Mysterious Trunk and Large Box—Interview With Lawyer Capp.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—The Holmes case was neglected by the police on Saturday, the investigation being dropped until to-day owing to the absence from the city of Chief Badenoch and several of the detectives who have handled the affair. I. L. Conner, formerly the husband of Julia L. Conner, who was mysteriously disposed of, with her daughter, in the castle of H. H. Holmes, swore out two warrants to day, one for the arrest of Holmes on the charge of murdering Mrs. Conner and her daughter Pearl, and the other for Patrick Quinlan on the same charge.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 5.—A special from Franklin, Ind., says: About October 9 last Holmes came here with a mysterious trunk and a large box. This was about the time Howard Pitzel disappeared. An expressman told of hauling the two receptacles. Mrs. Yoke, mother of one of Holmes' wives, said to-day that she understood that the box only contained her daughter's evening apparel and household effects. She still maintains that neither she nor her daughter knew anything of Holmes' relations with the Williams girls or any other women.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 4.—Attorney W. A. Capps, of Fort Worth, Tex., was in the city yesterday en route from Chicago to Fort Worth, the object of his visit being to see "Mascot," or Allen, the convict, and ascertain what he may know that may throw any light on the Holmes mystery. Mr. Capps was interviewed after his talk with the convict. He said he does not believe that Allen knows anything of the Holmes crimes that would hang him. He may know something of Holmes' swindling operations.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Post Office Savings Bank Deposits—Increase in Ten Years of Over Eleven Millions.

Finding of the Body of Captain Cox—To Be Interred in London.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 5.—There was on deposit in the Post Office Savings Banks on June 30 the sum of $26,805,542, or $547 674 more than at the close of the previous fiscal year. The average sum at each depositor's credit is $222 22, the average of the previous year having been $215 84. The accumulated interest on savings during the fiscal year was $876,949. In ten years the savings have increased over $11,000,000.

The body of Captain Cox, assistant engineer of the marine department, was found in the river yesterday morning at the spot where he was drowned while bathing on Thursday. The interment will take place in London, Ontario.

SOUTHAMPTON'S GRAVING DOCK.

The Largest Dry Dock in the World Formally Opened by the Prince of Wales.

SOUTHAMPTON, Aug. 5.—The Prince and Princess of Wales and the Duke of York arrived here on Saturday and formally opened the new graving dock, said to be the largest dry dock in the world, and able to accommodate the largest ship afloat. Torrents of rain, however, thoroughly dampened the enthusiasm of the large crowds present. In three months' time two additional berthing stages will be opened alongside the graving dock, each of which will be capable of accommodating two ships of the Paris and New York type end on.

The town and docks were gaily decorated with flags and bunting, but when the special trains from London and elsewhere arrived the scene was one of damp desolation. Alongside the graving dock a sumptuous lunch had been prepared, covers being laid for 400 persons, and on the edges of the dock stands had been erected, from which the visitors viewed as best they could the opening ceremony, which was performed by the Prince of Wales. His Royal Highness, accompanied by the Princess of Wales, his two daughters and the Duke of York, came over from Cowes in the Royal yacht Osborne, and at 1:30 p. m. the Prince pressed the lever by which the sluice gates of the great dock were opened. The invited guests repaired to lunch and by the time that function was over the dock was full.

FIRES AND CASUALTIES.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 5.—John Little, teamster, fell from his wagon and broke his neck on Saturday.

HALIFAX, Aug. 5.—At Canning on Saturday Henry McNutt, aged 10, was horribly mangled by being caught in the engine of a sawmill.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 5.—The building occupied by A. Pullen as a general store and post office at Holbrook, nine miles south of here, was totally destroyed by fire. Loss $3,500, insurance $1,900.

TORONTO, Aug. 5.—Edith Todd, the four-year old child of Arthur Todd, was killed by a street car on Saturday afternoon. Phœbe Young, aged 31, an employe of the Rossin House, was drowned in the bay last evening by the upsetting of a boat.

NIAGARA FALLS, N Y., Aug. 5.—Elwood F. Butler, head engineer of the Niagara Falls paper mills, and Timothy F. Sweeney, machinist, were drowned through the capsizing of their boat in a squall on the river near Grass island yesterday.

AURORA, Aug. 5.—On Sunday morning the spire of the Methodist church was struck by lightning, setting fire to the woodwork and causing damage to the amount of several hundred dollars before the firemen succeeded in controlling the fire.

HASTINGS, Aug. 5.—Patrick Gallagher, of Percy township, five miles from here, was thrown from a carriage on Saturday afternoon and killed. The horse ran away while he was returning home from Hastings.

Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Sheetings, etc., at Weiler Bros.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Tennis Tournament Attracts Plenty of Players and Proves Intensely Interesting.

A Polo Match To-Day — Wheelmen Want Better Roads—Races at Vancouver.

The opening day of the tournament at the lawn tennis court on Belcher street yesterday was productive of a number of interesting matches. Several of the visiting players and their friends arrived on Sunday afternoon from Tacoma and parts of this Island. The roll will be completed by the arrival of Miss Anderson and Mr. Fransioli early this morning, and of Mr. E. J. Crickmay from Vancouver. The attendance was a great deal larger than on any opening day in the club's record, and those present followed with eager attention the number of close and exciting matches. In all, 14 matches were run through, 4 in the morning and 10 between 2 and 7:30. In the ladies' singles, the most exciting contest was between Miss Kershaw and Miss M. Goward; after three hard sets, the match was won by Miss Goward, who secured two of the three games played, the score being 6 5, 3 6 and 6 3. The particulars of yesterday's games follow together with the programme for to-day. The fixtures will be followed out as nearly as it is possible. The ladies and gentlemen interested are particularly requested to appear on the grounds punctually, as the number of matches to be played is exceedingly large and play will have to be pushed more rapidly than yesterday.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

LADIES' SINGLES—Miss M. Goward beat Miss Kershaw, 6 5, 3 6, 6-3.

Miss Scott beat Miss S. Pemberton, 6-1, 6 1.

OPEN SINGLES—Lieut. E. G. W. Davy beat H. Payne, 6 4, 6 1.

H. W. F. Pollok, R.N., beat F. H. Stirling, 6 0, 6 1.

J. D. Pemberton beat G. Ainslie, 6-2, 0 6, 6-3.

E. A. Jacob beat R. Harvey, 5-6, 6-3, 6-4.

R. C. Gamble beat C. A. Goffin, 6-0, 6-3.

LADIES' DOUBLES—Mrs. W. V. Burrill and Miss Kershaw beat Miss Dunsmuir and Miss A. Pooley, 6 2, 6 0.

Mrs. W. T. Marvin and Miss Eastly beat Mrs. G. E. Parkes and Miss Dickinson, 6-2, 6 0.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES—C. C. Worsfold and F. O'Reilly beat R. Musgrave and L. T. Fail, 6 5, 6 3.

G. H. Barnard and P. S. Lampman beat E. A. Jacob and W. H. Langley, 3 6, 6-5, 6 0.

MIXED DOUBLES (open)—Miss C. Powell and G. V. Cuppage beat Miss Barkley and R. E. Barkley, 6 5, 6 1; Miss Scott and E. A. Jacob beat Miss Aspland and A. R. Green, 6 2, 6-1; Miss Eastley and R. C. Gamble beat Miss M. Green and G. D. Ward, R.N., 6 0, 6 1.

FIXTURES FOR TO-DAY.

10 a. m.—Club singles, J. A. Rithet vs. R. Harvey.

10 a. m.—Gentlemen's singles, L. Crease vs. L. Kirk; C. R. Louge vs. E. J. Crickmay.

10:30—Ladies' singles, Miss M. Drake vs. Miss Anderson.

11—Ladies' singles, Mrs. Wm. V. Burrill v. Mrs. W. T. Marvin.

11—Mixed doubles (open), Mrs. W. A. Ward and Mr. R. H. J. Browne, R.N., v. Miss Cornwall and George C. Johnston.

11:30—Gentlemen's doubles, Commander A. Y. Moggridge, R.N., and Dr. R. H. J. Browne, R.N., v. T. E. Pooley and G. C. Johnston.

12 m.—Ladies' singles, Mrs. Shipster vs. Miss Musgrave.

12 m.—Ladies' doubles, Miss Scott and Miss Wright vs. Mrs. Wm. V. Burrill and Miss Kershaw.

2 p m.—Ladies' doubles, Mrs. W. H. Bramsdon and Mrs. Leather vs. Miss Anderson and Miss Keoww.

2—Mixed doubles (handicap), Miss H. Drake and F. O'Reilly (rec. 30) vs. Mrs. Moggridge and Commander A. Y. Moggridge, R N., (rec. 15.)

2:45—Gentlemen's doubles, J. F. Foulkes and G. V. Cuppage vs. winner of 11:30 match.

3—Gentlemen's singles, E. A. Jacob vs. J. D. Pemberton.

4—Ladies' doubles, Mrs. Mayo and Miss Musgrave vs. Miss M. Drake and Miss H. Drabb.

5—Gentlemen's doubles—H. W. F. Pollok and J. A. Rithet vs. C. A. Goffin and G. E. Parkes.

6—H. B. Haines and J. M. Miller vs. Lieut. E. G. W. Davy, R.N., and Lieut. F. H. Walter, R.N.

THE WHEEL.

EVERYONE SHOULD ATTEND.

Everyone who takes an interest in the betterment of Victoria's streets should make it a point to attend to-night's meeting of the Victoria Wheelmen's Club. The chief business for the club to deal with will be in connection with the formation of a good roads association, and also with the rapidly approaching championship race meet.

RAN TO ROCKY POINT.

A party of seven of the V.W.C., nominally in charge of the club mascot, H. G. Lincoln, ran out to Rocky Point on Sunday in 2½ hours, little Roy Woolford (only 12 years old) doing the distance as easily as any and as quickly. Mr. Lincoln kept his party well together, frequent halts enabling the stragglers to rejoin the main brigade.

THE HARRIS HANDICAP RACE.

No date has yet been fixed for the final in the Harris handicap road race, though a day will probably be decided upon this week. The majority of the competitors have flatly refused to ride in semi-finals, and insist on

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

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Narrow Escape from Drowning at Nanaimo—Cattle Shipments Direct to Liverpool.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Aug. 5.—Panthers are still causing annoyance and loss to Gabriola island farmers. The depletions of sheep herds and poultry yards are frequent occurrences.

R. H. Cairns, who for the past three years has been teacher at the Nanaimo Indian reserve mission school, has resigned and accepted the principalship of the public school of Mission City. He leaves on Wednesday next for his new home.

The employes of the B. C. Iron Works celebrated their annual outing in this city on Saturday. The excursionists were accompanied by the Vancouver city band. All kinds of sports were indulged in and a happy day was well spent.

Mrs. Albert Meakin, of Needham street, was out swimming on Friday evening just above the Indian reserve. Whilst some distance from the shore she was seized with a cramp, and sank twice and would have drowned had not Ernest Gartley happened along just in time. Young Gartley at once plunged into the water with his clothes on, and reached Mrs. Meakin just as she was sinking for a third time, bringing her to the shore in safety. To Gartley's prompt and plucky action Mrs. Meakin owes her life.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, Aug. 3.—F. H. Price, Captain Salmon and Abe Mayla went up to Cowichan lake on Friday. E. C. Musgrave returned from the upper country on Saturday; Mrs. Mayo, Miss Musgrave, J. C. Harris and others went down on Saturday's train to attend the Victoria tennis tournament. J. C. Prevost and other Victorians came up from Victoria on Saturday's trains. Major Mutter, M.P.P., G. A. Hadwen and J. H. Whittome returned yesterday from the agricultural meeting at Agassiz.

ROSSLAND.

(From the Rossland Miner.)

It is the intention of the Columbia mining company to put in an air compressor drill plant at once.

They have struck into solid ore on the Maid of Erin shaft. Where it was cropping up through the cap in seams it assays between $12 and $13 in gold to the ton, and four ounces in silver.

Preparations are being made to pump out the Nickel Plate preparatory to starting in to work. The negotiations for turning the Nickel Plate over to a joint stock company have been successfully carried out.

Some of the more enterprising citizens of Rossland are opening up a new road to the mines on Red mountain through the bluff at the west end of Columbia avenue.

John M. Burke confirms the reports which have been received that the Homestake claim is looking particularly well. There are three feet of ore in the tunnel and the shaft.

J. Ryan has been at work on the Crown Point clearing off a site for a shaft. An open cut has been run into the hill some twenty feet. The ore was found running under the capping which is about six feet thick. And as far as the cut has gone it is all ore, ore everywhere and all around.

The sale of the Mascot and Mascot fraction has been completed between the Columbia Mining Company and Charles Dundee and J. McKinley, owners of the ground. The price is $8,000 cash, nearly the highest cash figure ever paid in West Kootenay for an undeveloped piece of property for which there was no crown grant.

The straightening out of the Le Roi shaft under the direction of Foreman Traynor is nearly completed. By means of the new machinery, which is being installed by J. D. Sword of the Ingersoll Drill Company of Montreal, 100 tons of ore can be hoisted easily in the twenty-four hours. Some astonishingly high assays have recently been obtained from specimens taken from the west drift of the 350-foot level. One sample gave a return of 24½ oz. of gold per ton.

The amount of gold, silver and copper shipped from the Trail Creek district during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, was as follows: Gold, 20,510 ounces, value $400,200; silver, 29,804 ounces, value $21,802 30; copper, 925,693 pounds, value $46,372 65; total value, $468,375 25.

Ben Finnell, who has returned from the head waters of Murphy and Sullivan creeks, says that he met more outfits going in there than he could count. The group now consists of the Golden Age, Mackie, Golden Cress and Nevada, and the owners are McFadden, Finnell, Walsh, Mackie, Smith and side partners.

RICHMOND.

EBURNE, Aug. 4.—Miss Walker, who has conducted school here acceptably for the past two years, has left to take a position in Nanaimo. A farewell picnic was given her in Mr. Sexsmith's grove, and an appropriate address on behalf of her pupils was read by Miss Lillian Paine, a handsome manicure set being presented to her by Ernest Dixon.

The farmers of Richmond have nearly all their hay in. It has been a splendid crop and has been put up in good condition. Grain is ripening rapidly and many begin to harvest next week.

The artesian well in the town hall lot is now 200 feet deep. No difficulty has been met with and by the time 700 feet is reached good, clear, sparkling water is expected.

A large prairie fire is burning between No. 3 and No. 4 roads, and much good pasture is being destroyed.

Salmon are not plentiful. The canneries average 3,000 cases at present.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Mail.)

An assay of the ore found on the North Fork of the Illecillewaet gives $8 to $10 in gold, and from 80 ounces in silver upwards. The bed of the creek is reported to be full of float of high grade ore. Those interested are agitating for a trail to the head of the Fork. A discovery has been made on a tributary of the Jordan river which flows out of the Gold Range just above Revelstoke. Messrs. Frisby & Reighly had considerable success trapping up there last winter and returned this summer to prospect for mineral. They came back to town last Saturday, having located two claims on Wild Goose creek. The ore is galena, which looks as though it might carry gold. The samples were sent to Vancouver to be tested. Ore has also been discovered below Hall's Landing, across the lake from Halcyon Hot Springs in the vicinity of Cape Horne, Upper Arrow lake, where it is said they have found a "whole mountain of it."

George Calloway is missing from the Maple Leaf hotel, Illecillewaet, and it is feared he has been drowned.

Work is being done on the Rosebery and Salisbury claims on Carnes creek, owned by the Revelstoke Co., and also on the Aberdeen. They have a big showing of ore and carbonates.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

Eight men have been engaged by J. F. Smith to go to the mica mines at Tete Jeune Cache for L. V. Bennett. Sixteen pack horses will be taken to convey down as much of the mica as possible. The party will likely be gone about ten weeks.

During the month a train load, fifteen cars, of cattle will be shipped from Ashcroft to Liverpool. The cattle come from the Chilltin. This will be the first time that cattle have been shipped across the Atlantic from British Columbia.

CIRCLING THE GLOBE.

An American Millionaire and His Party Arrive on the Beautiful Yacht "Eleanor."

Will Make a Brief Stay, Then Sail For Alaska, and Return Here Again.

Cruising leisurely all over the world has been the mission of the beautiful steam yacht Eleanor, which is now paying Victoria a visit. The yacht dropped anchor in James bay between three and four o'clock yesterday afternoon and will spend probably a day or two here before proceeding to Alaska. She came from the Sound and indirectly from San Francisco, having previously been voyaging along the coasts of India, China, Japan, and in fact all through the Orient. On board the vessel is a party made up of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Slater, J. W. Slater, Miss Eleanor Slater and Master Willie Slater, Mr. John W. Slater, Dr. Tingley, Mr. Harrison and Miss Traver. Mr. W. A. Slater, who is the owner of the yacht, is many times a millionaire, having amassed immense wealth through the manufacture of cambrics. He, as well as the other members of the party, have their homes in Norwich, Conn. Mr. John W. Slater is a cousin of the millionaire and Miss Eleanor Slater is the lady after whom the yacht is named. The party after going to Alaska will again visit Victoria, and on this next occasion will probably make a longer stay, as they will then be voyaging in the direction of home. It is intended to round Cape Horn during the most suitable weather of the year.

The yacht herself is strikingly graceful and her furnishings are very elaborate. She was built in Bath, Maine, by the Bath Iron Works Co. nine months ago, and is not only the largest craft of her description that ever visited this port, but is one of the largest affoat. She is bark rigged, and in construction has every modern convenience. Her dimensions are 232 feet over all, 32 feet beam and 17 feet depth of hold. There are two water double bottoms forward of her boiler room and as many more aft of the engine room, each being 40 feet in length. She has besides eight watertight compartments and numerous other safety fixtures. Even her lifeboats—two in number, exclusive of several small handy boats and two launches, one steam and the other naphtha—are complete in this respect. They are each capable of carrying 30 people and are equipped with 60 gallons of fresh water and 200 pounds of bread. The house-work of the steamer is continuous, with a small deck on top on a plane not much higher than the rails of the vessel, with a broad promenade on either side and with a space the whole breadth of the yacht for a distance of probably one-fourth of the length of the craft aft and about one fifth of the same distance forward. The former room, which has a cosy awning covering it, is surrounded with rugs, etc., and is a delightfully inviting spot. The vessel's machinery drives her under a full head of steam at the rate of 14 knots an hour, but her average speed is about 12 knots. In the matter of internal arrangements the yacht is admirably appointed and spacious throughout. Her main cabin, which is aft, is finished in mahoguey and is decorated with paintings valued at $75,000. But this item of expense is not out of proportion to that of the other furnishings, including a large and cheerful fireplace, a costly piano, etc. Forward of this is the dining room finished in quarter oak and containing also another handsome fireplace, while to the rear are eight staterooms and three bathrooms. The officer's quarters are all forward and to these also the brush of the skilful artist has been applied. Another dining room specially arranged for the officers is here located, and baths, etc, are also provided for their accommodation. Still more conveniences are a steam laundry and ice manufacturing machinery.

The yacht carries a crew of forty-nine all told and is officered as follows: Captain, J. W. Scott; first officer, E. W. Johnson; second, W. E. Atley; third, Thomas Stisen; chief engineer, J. H. Johnston; first assistant engineer, J. H. Colburt; second assistant, W. E. Hatch; and chief steward, R. Buchanan.

When the big white yacht came to anchor in port yesterday she attracted many along the water front, and from James Bay bridge crowds viewed her to good advantage as the tide swung her in. Numerous comments of admiration were passed among those who saw her, and the wonder was where she came from—a question a little difficult even for her crew to answer off-hand.

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REPORT OF THE ACADÉMIE DE MÉDECINE OF FRANCE

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THE RESULTS OF THE RECENT INVESTIGATIONS IN PARIS AND THE REPORT OF THE ACADÉMIE DE MÉDECINE OF FRANCE HAVE PLACED APOLLINARIS WATER AT THE HEAD OF ALL THE WATERS EXAMINED FOR PURITY AND FREEDOM FROM DISEASE GERMS.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

Receipts and Expenditure for Six Months Ending 30th June, 1895.

Published in accordance with Sec. 108G, Municipal Act, 1892.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, January 1, 1895	$ 1,097 75
Bank of B.N.A., January 1, 1895	3,509 44
Land and improvement tax	6,788 45
Water rates and rents	22,870 96
Trade licenses	7,430 00
Liquor licenses	8,980 00
Fire insurance company's tax	3,150 00
Police Court fines and fees	1,548 25
Road tax	2,192 50
Provincial revenue tax	6,198 00
Cemetery fees	834 00
Dog tax	268 20
Pound fees	314 30
Market fees	1,478 45
Provincial Government Educational per capita grant	9,115 10
Provincial Government refund under Sec. 109, Municipality Act, 1892	1,506 35
Board of Health	1,702 81
Miscellaneous receipts	1,459 49
	$80,443 55

EXPENDITURE.

City debt	$ 50,244 83
Municipal Council	2,515 92
Civic salaries	33,231 81
City institutions (maintenance)	18,981 01
Buildings and surveys	1,656 92
Streets, bridges and sidewalks	15,172 12
Miscellaneous	11,973 46
Education	22,855 33
Board of Health	10,250 99
	$166,881 49

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
City Hall, 10th July, 1895. jy11

PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS.

R. LETTICE — Dealer in Paints, Oils, varnish and window glass. Agent for Brilliant Sign Letter Co., and Aspenall's Enamel, 40 Fort street. mo17

ADVERTISING AGENCY.

L. P. FISHER, Newspaper Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized Agent. This paper is kept on file in his office. je8

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—By Japanese, situation as cook or general servant. 193 Government St. au3-2t

WANTED—A female servant. Apply No. 6 South Turner street. au3-2t

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Furnished rooms with use of kitchen and bath. Elsmere House, 101 Pandora street. au3-1m

TO LET—Furnished rooms, with or without board. No. 48 Birdcage Walk. au3 6t

TO LET—Owing to moving into larger premises, the large brick and iron warehouse, with stone basement, on Water St., Vancouver, B. C., with railway siding and water front immediately in rear. For particulars apply Messrs. E. G. Prior & Co jy30-1m-tf

TO LET—Neatly furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen if required. Apply at 139 Michigan St. jy30-12t

TO LET—6-roomed house, No. 115 Superior street; rent reduced to $18 per month; 8-roomed house on Cadboro Bay road; rent reduced to $15 per month. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms; one on upper floor, one on lower. Apply 66 Rae street. jy26

TO-LET—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Desirable residential property, Lot No. 515. 60x120; one and a half story cottage; can be seen from 3 till 5 o'clock. For particulars apply 33 Quebec St. au2 6t

FOR SALE—Fine milch cow and calf cheap. James W. Meldram, Douglas street, near Fountain. au1-6t

FOR SALE—A fruit stand at 88 Douglas St. Apply on premises. jy31-6t

FOR SALE—200 acres at Alberni for $1,600, payable $100 cash, balance 4 years at 7 per cent; 90 acres near McPherson's station, 3 acres cleared. 7 acres slashed, chicken house and shed, cheap at $500; 70 acres adjoining the above, 7 acres cleared, dwelling house, 2 barns and chicken house, a bargain at $550. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Seven acres; fine Orchard of 2 acres at Gordon Head; 5 acres cleared, $1 500; 50 acres 12 miles from Victoria, dwelling, chicken house and stable, cheap at $500. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—A snap on Pandora street, six-roomed cottage, only $1,250. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in South Saanich, on the East road about 10 miles from Victoria Post Office, containing 100 acres; about 50 acres cleared and under cultivation; 6-roomed house, good farm buildings; over 200 fruit trees, all first-class land; splendid spring of water. The farm is close to the Victoria & Sidney Railway. For further particulars apply to A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street. ap26

FOR SALE—A fine mansion and outbuildings with all possible conveniences, in Quamichan District, together with 300 acres of land; about 50 of which are improved and partly under orchard, crops, etc. Fine shooting and fishing may be had on the estate. About one mile from Koksilah station.

TO LET—For a term of years—Tzouhalim—fronting on Cowichan Bay, together with 100 acres of land; partly in grass and orchard.

TO LET—With privilege of purchase, several fine properties in Victoria City.

TO LET—A 7-room house on Rae street, with every modern convenience; rent reduced. For terms apply to HEISTERMAN & CO., 75 Government Street. ap17-1mo

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, 41 Pandora street. Dealers in all kinds of photographic material, views of British Columbia and Alaska.

Same Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store, 41 Pandora street. Boots, Shoes, Leather and Shoe Findings. "K" boots a specialty. fe1

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munroe, 89 Government street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

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Coarse, per ton, $35.00
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In smaller quantities of 100 pounds
Coarse, per lb., 2 cents.
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NOTICES.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
30th July, 1895.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant Governor in Council directs that the following Rules, framed by the Judges of the County Courts of Nanaimo and New Westminster under the authority of the "County Courts Act," shall come into force from the first day of August, proximo,

By Command.
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

1. There shall be vacation in the County Court of New Westminster from the 7th day of August to the 15th day of October, 1895, both days inclusive, during which vacation, subject to the further provisions hereinafter contained, no cause shall be tried.

2. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with the trial of causes triable or proposed to be tried at the next sitting of this Court at Chilliwhack.

3. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with the issue or service of ordinary default or judgment summonses, or garnishee proceedings, with proceedings for obtaining judgment or default summonses.

4. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with any criminal proceedings.

5. During said vacation the office hours of the offices of the Court shall be in accordance with Rule 693, "Supreme Court Rules, 1890."

6. These Rules may be cited as "The County Court (New Westminster) Vacation Rules, 1895."

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"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of August, 1895, to the 1st day of October, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
30th July, 1895. au3 2m

NOTICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, under and by virtue of the "Supreme Court Act," has been pleased to order that the Long Vacation to be observed in the Supreme Court shall commence on the 15th day of August, 1895, and end on the 24th of October, 1895, and further that Rule 736 of the "Supreme Court Rules, 1890," in so far as it conflicts with this Order, be suspended.

By Command.
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
23rd July, 1895. jy26-12t

40-ACRE FARM FOR SALE

Situated half way between Chemainus and Maple Bay, and within 3 miles of Hall's Crossing, on the E. & N. Railway and ten miles from Duncan's. Five acres are under cultivation, and the balance has been slashed and burned, and with a slight expense can all be made ready for crop. The property is well situated, having a half mile frontage on the water. There is excellent water on the property for all purposes. There is a small house and barn on the land. For anyone requiring a small farm or a charming country seat, the above will be found well suited to their desire. The property, including various implements, will be sold for $2,000. Terms will be made to suit the purchaser.

For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist. no22-tf

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Dominion Veterinary Inspector.
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$50.00 REWARD.

The above reward will be given to anyone supplying information leading to the conviction of the person who on Saturday or Sunday last used a boat and lighted a fire on Lorna Lake (3rd lake, Highland district), causing great destruction of forest land.
H. M. DUMBLETON,
Glenara, Mill Stream

$10.00 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons setting fire to any grass or causing any grass fire within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

By Order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, July 17, 1895. jy18

EIGHTY BELOW ZERO.

Two Missionaries from a Country Where the Winter Cold Is Intense.

Yukon Mines Are Not So Rich as Reported—Eskimo and Reindeer.

Two priests from the far northern portion of Alaska were passengers on the steamer Topeka. They are two of the little band of Roman Catholic missionaries stationed at points throughout that frozen country, far apart from civilization, to labor among the Eskimo of the coast and the Indians of the interior. The two priests are Father Tosi, superintendent of the missions and prefect apostolic, and Father Barnum. The former's headquarters are at the mission of the Holy Cross, some 350 miles from the mouth of the Skeena, and under his charge is the whole of the vast country to the north, in which some twelve priests and the same number of nuns are doing missionary work. Father Tosi went north in 1886 with the late Archbishop Seghers and assisted him to pick out the different spots for mission stations. Father Barnum, whose district is the delta formed by the Kuskoquim and Yukon rivers—a large tract of country just north of the 60th degree—has not been south since he entered the work some five years ago. The Eskimo who live along the shores of Behring sea, within that district, are his especial charge. These Eskimo are, he says, the kindest, mildest and most peaceable people it is possible to imagine.

"I have lived right in among them," said Father Barnum yesterday, "and during the whole five years I have been in that country never once have I seen two men quarrel, never a child beaten, nor angry words exchanged."

The gold finds in the Yukon have been greatly over-estimated, Father Barnum says. He has had the best means of knowing. He has met the miners as they have come out from the mines for the winter, and learned from their own mouths what their earnings have been. Of course there is gold, but it is not in large quantities, and requires much hard work to secure. An experienced miner with $800 or $900 in his pocket might get along, but young, inexperienced men who thoughtlessly rush to the mines are courting disaster. For one thing, they must be prepared to stay there a year or a year and a half, for once at the mines it is difficult to reach the coast. Then the cold is intense, the spirit thermometer sometimes registering as low as 80 degrees below zero, and there is great liability of being frozen to death. An incident happened last winter, where a man within a hundred yards of safety was found frozen to death. Last year whooping cough played havoc among the Eskimo of the coast and the Inglik Indians, who live towards the interior. The population of Indians and Eskimo is very sparse, much less than is the general impression of the people of the outside world. In spite of this the whooping cough spread like a plague, and many of the children were carried off by it.

The reindeer that the United States government have been introducing into Alaska have not proved a success nor will they ever be until the Eskimo dogs are cleaned out of the country. This is Father Barnum's opinion, based upon the facts brought under his notice. "The Eskimo dog is just like a wolf," the Father explained, "and whenever he comes across a deer he simply tears it to pieces. To turn deer loose where there are Eskimo dogs means that the deer would simply be killed off." There is a band of these deer at Fort Clarence on the north side of Norton Bay, where they are protected like a herd of cattle, and the natives are careful to keep their dogs away for they know that these would be shot on sight if they came near the deer herd. Father Barnum is of opinion that it would be of great benefit to the natives to do away with the dogs and have reindeer in their stead. Father Tosi is on his way to San Francisco and returns North as soon as possible to get back to his mission before the winter stops travel in the North. Father Barnum is down on work in connection with his mission that will keep him some time, and he will not return to his post till next year. He has made a study of the Eskimo language and has compiled a dictionary of it which will be published.

TUBERCULOSIS.

An Interesting Paper on This Disease Among Cattle—Consumption in Human Beings One of Its Products.

The following paper was read at the Agassiz convention by Mr. R. Hickingbottom, provincial inspector of contagious diseases:

It is now generally known that it is a disease in cattle akin to consumption in the human family. There has long been reason for believing that tuberculosis is a communicable disease, and people that are not professionally concerned do not think much about it, but now and then conditions arise which demand general attention, and the appalling prevalence of this disease is facing the people in all lands to-day. Most intelligent people are aware that within the past few years a new field in the domain of life has been revealed and widely explored.

It has been learned that in earth, air and water, there exist countless myriads of living things, so minute as to be far beyond the limits of the unaided eye, and yet in the aggregate so potent in the maintenance of the cycle of life upon the earth that without their activities all life would cease to be and the elements which for a short span fall under the sway of the life forces in all higher animals and plants would lapse finally and irrevocable into their normal state.

These minute organisms are called germs, which live for the most part on dead organic material, that is, such material as has once formed a portion of some living thing. The diseases caused by the growth of germs in the body are called infectious. The germs that cause some of the infectious diseases are given off from the bodies of their victims in such a form as to be readily transmitted through the air to others, in whom they may incite similar disease. Such diseases are spoken of as readily communicable, though it is not actually the disease itself, but only the germ causing it, which is transmitted. Many infectious diseases are very easily communicated from the sick to the healthy under insanitary and uncleanly conditions, which, with proper care, are very little liable to spread.

Let us now discuss the germ called the tubercule bacillis, the germ which causes and which alone can cause tuberculosis. It does not exist in the body of men or animals in health. Without the entrance of this particular germ into the body from without tuberculosis cannot develop in it. Without the transmission of this germ in some way or other in a living condition from the sick to the well, tuberculosis cannot spread. The tubercle bacillis is a colorless plant, so small that thousands of them together would make a heap too small to be visible to the naked eye. It cannot grow without moisture or at a temperature that varies much either way from the normal of an animal. When once it gains lodgment in a body suited to its growth it multiplies slowly, each germ dividing and subdividing, taking from the tissues material for its growth and returning to them certain poisons which set it free. The action of this germ is peculiar in that it stimulates the cells of the body wherever it may lodge and grow to the formation of little masses of new tissue, which we call tubercles.

These tubercles are as a rule short-lived, and, if the disease progresses, tend to disintegrate. If the tubercles have grown in such situations as make this possible, as in the thoracic cavity or intestinal canal, the disintegrated and broken down material, often containing myriads of the living germs, may be cast off from the body. The germs given off an animal from this disease would readily affect other animals, especially if their systems were anyway inclined to be susceptible to the disease. There is no doubt that tuberculosis is present to more or less extent in milch cows owned by those who supply milk to our cities and butter to our population at large. The dairymen may not be aware of it, but they know that a cow dies every once in a while and they naturally lament over their loss.

It follows from the above that the disease is communicable to the human being, and the only animals that are liable to convey the disease are tubercular cattle, and those through the milk, butter and meat. The danger from the use of milk unboiled or meat uncooked from cattle affected with this disease is supposed to be very serious. The loss of human life through animals affected with tuberculosis is no doubt very great, and if there were any possibility of revealing the secret at the present time I would not hesitate in saying that thousands of people have been sent to their graves with consumption caused by the use of products from tubercular cows. As we are all aware that children are particularly exposed owing to the large quantities of milk they require and use, we can easily believe that in all instances if there is such a great fatality brought about it is through ignorance on the part of all concerned.

Symptoms of tuberculosis are the formation of tumors presenting themselves in the parotid or sub-maxillary glands, appearing at first as round, hard lumps, which gradually enlarge, finally ulcerating and discharging an ichorous fluid. These tumors enlarge sometimes so as to press on the throat and interfere with the breathing. The animal fails in condition and there is a deterioration in the quality of the milk, which is thin and watery. The mucous membranes are pale and a dry cough of a dull character exists. The skin looks dull, the hair stands and has an unnatural appearance. Emaciation now proceeds in the constitution more or less rapidly; the cough becomes more irritable and troublesome; the digestive organs are weak, and the animal will in some cases be subject to bloating.

Perhaps diarrhœa will set in, which will soon render the animal a living skeleton. There is generally pain and tenderness evinced by pressing severely upon the thoracic or abdominal cavities. In herds it will be sometimes noticed that an animal will become lame from no appreciable cause, and this lameness is not movable, and those who were attending the animal will use severe blistering and cause the animal to suffer from the irritants applied when the treatment is useless. This is an inflammation of the joints or part affected from a tubercular diathesis. I might say that this disease manifests itself by the formation of tumors in various parts of the body in connection with the intestines, lungs, and even in the udder of a cow. It is so insidious in its character that the most skilful veterinarians cannot detect its presence in its incipient stages without inoculating with tubercular matter.

The most important consideration to breeders is to prevent the progress of the disease among their stock and to know if it can be certainly detected to the extent of making it possible to stamp it out. Some measure will have to be adopted before this infectious disease can be confined within limits so narrow as to reduce the danger to a minimum. Even when thus reduced the tendency to increase again would be always present, but when the means of detection are always present the danger also would be so slight as to cease to be serious.

BUSH FIRES.

Considerable Damage Done at Cobble Hill and Shawnigan Lake—Narrow Escape of the Catholic Church.

COBBLE HILL, Aug. 5—(Special)—Bush fires are still burning here and at Shawnigan Lake. The fire at Shawnigan Lake started about three weeks ago and has burned several miles of the best timber in this section. At Mile Bay the fires are still burning, and aided by a strong wind are doing much damage. The Catholic church had a narrow escape from bush fires a short time ago, but after much hard work on the part of the settlers it was saved. A Newhouse lost his house and contents last week by fire; cause, defective chimney; partly insured.

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Ploughs, Harrows, Reaper, Wagon, Sleds and usual Farm Implements.

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Small Lot Household Furniture, Stove and Pipes, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, etc., etc.

This Property is within easy distance of many of the most important Gold, Silver and Coal Mines in West Kootenay. The soil is the best bottom land, and the locality is one of the few places in the Province where so large a piece of good farm land can be found in one block. A river runs through the property, and rainbow trout are plentiful and afford capital sport. Deer abound in considerable numbers. Bear, Wolf, Coyote and other large game are to be found in the hills. There are two creeks recorded and belonging to the estate, one flows all the year round. Limestone and brick clay are to be had in the valley.

The Gattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity cover many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valley.

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THE WRONG TERM.

We are glad to see that a moderate tone has been adopted by those who, in the newspapers and elsewhere, now discuss the Manitoba school question. It is admitted on all hands that the question is one of great difficulty, and that it would be most fortunate if some way on which both parties to the dispute could conscientiously agree could be found to settle it without an appeal to the Federal Parliament.

It is also admitted that the provisions of the Constitutions, both of the Dominion and the Province of Manitoba, inserted for the protection of denominational minorities, are in full force, and that it is folly to talk of ignoring or disregarding them. The protection which they extend where the conditions to which the law is applicable exist, are required as much by one denomination as another, by Protestants as well as Catholics.

It is beginning to be seen, too, that it is a serious mistake to talk of "coercion" when the people of a province are required to act in accordance with their own constitutional law—to carry out solemn agreements that have been made by properly authorized bodies in their behalf. People do not say that a man is coerced when he is required to carry out a contract which he has made himself or which has been made in his behalf and for his benefit by persons fully authorized and empowered to make it. We do not say that a man is coerced to fulfil the terms of an agreement or to pay a lawful debt. There is really no hardship in the requirement, for it is for his own good and for the good of the community that faith be kept between man and man. In the same way and in a still stronger sense it is for the good of this Dominion that faith be kept between province and province and between each province and the Confederation. All that is required is to find out what has been agreed upon—what the province has bound itself to perform. That being clearly ascertained no difficulty should be made about keeping the bargain to the letter, either by the inhabitants of the province which has made the bargain or by those in other provinces who feel an interest in the matter in dispute. It is, in fact, for the well being of all the inhabitants of all the provinces that the provisions of the constitution be carried out strictly.

In this Manitoba case it has been found what the law is. The highest legal tribunal in the land has pronounced upon it, and all that remains to be done is to carry it out. "Coercion" is not a word to be used in connection with a matter of this kind. We believe that the majority of Manitoba when they have had time to think over the subject coolly and dispassionately will of their own free will do all that their own law requires them to do to redress the grievance of the minority.

A COMPROMISE POSSIBLE.

"It is unreasonable," say some, "to require the people of Manitoba to re-establish denominational schools as badly managed and as inefficient as were the separate schools of the province previous to the enactment of the School law of 1890. Yet this is what the judgment of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and the remedial order require them to do." We feel fully convinced that neither the Judicial Committee nor the Governor-General of the Dominion were so unreasonable as to require the Legislature of Manitoba to set up schools that are intrinsically bad. It is denied that the Roman Catholic schools of the province were bad. We are strongly of opinion that the badness or the goodness of those schools does not enter into the question at all. It is quite evident that whatever was the condition of those schools they were not necessarily bad. They were under the control of the Government of the Province. The members of the Board of Education, which was entrusted with the management of the schools, were appointed by the Government. The Inspectors of the schools were also Government appointees. If the members of that Board and those inspectors did not perform their duties faithfully and efficiently they could be dismissed by the Government and better men put in their places. If the schools, public or separate, were not as good as they ought to have been, the blame of their inefficiency rests upon the Government. The condition of the province may have had something to do with its school system. For the first nineteen years of its existence the province was in a pretty rough state, and the schools, no doubt, were not an exception to the condition of things generally. The Governor-General in Council could not decree that things in the province must be set back to the condition they were in during the first stage of its existence.

But the Committee of the Privy Council, in their judgment, express themselves with sufficient clearness in this matter. They say in the last paragraph of the document:

"It is not essential that the Statutes repealed by the Act of 1890 should be re-enacted, or that the precise provisions of these statutes should again be made law. The system of education embodied in the Acts of 1890, no doubt, commends itself to and adequately supplies the wants of the great majority of the inhabitants of the Province. All legitimate grounds of complaint would be removed if that system were supplemented by provisions which would remove the grievance upon which the appeal is founded and were modified so far as might be necessary to give effect to these provisions."

This paragraph is reproduced in the remedial order about which so much has been said and written. It was, in fact, to carry out the suggestions contained in this paragraph of the judgment that the remedial order was drawn up. The language of the decision is not imperious. It is, in fact, as moderate as it can well be, and if the grievance of the minority is to be remedied at all it can be remedied in no better way than that pointed out by the Committee of the Privy Council. The reader can see that if the Roman Catholics of Manitoba be permitted to have religion taught in their schools it would not be very difficult to make such an alteration in the school law of the Province as would fulfil the requirements of the judgment of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, and would leave the minority without any reasonable ground of complaint.

Mr. John S. Ewart., Q C., speaking in Winnipeg in April last, very effectually disposed of the objection that the Roman Catholics wanted to have inefficient schools outside the authority and control of the provincial government. He said:

"As counsel for the Roman Catholic minority in this Province, and with their authority, in addressing His Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council, I said, and I repeat it here to-night: 'They do not ask that their church should in any way control the schools. They are perfectly willing to work up to any state prescribed standard of secular instruction, to be subject to inspection, and to use school books not at variance with their religious doctrines.' Catholics are perfectly willing to be bound by, and are anxious to co-operate in, every arrangement necessary for the secular and, if thought well, the compulsory education of all children in Manitoba."

We do not for a moment suppose that the Government of Manitoba will be asked to give up the control and supervision of any schools in the Province established by law and maintained wholly or in part by public money, whether those schools are secular or denominational, to any church or religious body whatever. They are responsible for the good management and the efficiency of those schools, and it is their duty—a duty which they cannot shift to other shoulders—to see to it that they are well conducted in every respect.

DIRTY STREETS A DANGER.

The New York Medical Journal of the 20 h July contains an article on the sanitary importance of clean streets. The Journal speaks very plainly. It, in fact, uses language which would be considered very shocking and even disgusting by fastidious people. But when speaking of the filth of the streets which the dry weather converts into dust that is taken in with the breath of every man, woman and child within the city's limits, it is necessary, particularly for a medical man in a publication intended for the perusal and instruction of medical men, to speak with the utmost plainness. If we were to catalogue the substances which go to make up the dust of this city—the dust that we are all breathing—the perusal of the list of unspeakable ingredients would sicken many readers and disgust many more. If it is unpleasant to read about this abominable mixture of nastiness, and worse than nastiness, what must be the effect of inhaling it every minute of the day and night. This dust is a very fine powder. The air holds an immense amount of it in suspension. We cannot get clear of it as long as we remain within the city. It is present everywhere.

City dust, besides being composed of many substances, which it is an offence even to name, contains the active germs of disease. "We know," says the Medical Journal, "beyond question that certain disease-producing bacteria flourish in filth. We know, also, that at least one species (the most deadly of all, when the absolute number of its victims is considered), the *Bacillus Tuberculosis*, is carried in the form of dust from the sick to the healthy, and that it is a frequent constituent of street dust. These things we know, and Dr. Prudden has shown that street dust literally swarming with bacteria is frequently carried high in the air."

The editor then gives a list of the ingredients of which this street dust is composed, which is not nice reading. The reader can draw up a list for himself. He knows what substances collect on our streets and are allowed to remain there until they are ground to an impalpable powder which is lifted into the air by every breeze that blows. When he considers that the dust is composed of a hundred noisome substances and contains besides the seeds of disease, he may be able to form something like an adequate conception of the injury it does the health of the citizens. When we think that the men who have control of the city's affairs not only take very little trouble to keep the streets clean, but permit them to be defiled every day and all day long without having the courage or the decency to attempt to remove the nuisance, we are able to form a pretty fair estimate of their fitness to act as the preservers of the public health. It is evident that a majority of them are either so ignorant as not to know what is injurious to the health of the citizens, or they are so callous as not to care whether the public health is injured by their stupidity and their neglect. The principal street of this city is not only a disgrace to the Corporation and a nuisance to the public, but it is allowed to remain a prolific source of disease.

DECREASED EXPORTS.

The Americans are beginning to find that the British are not now nearly so dependent on them for their supply of breadstuffs as they used to be. Russia, Argentina, India and other countries in which wheat can be produced at a low cost, are sending more and more wheat to the British market, while the United States is sending less. This is what the New York Times says about the decreased export of wheat from the United States to Great Britain:

The London Corn Trade List now publishes the imports into the United Kingdom for the six months ending on June 30 last. Here is a part of the table, the last three figures of each number being omitted:

	1893.	1894.	1895.
United States	28,685	22,195	24,390
Russia	5,167	12,513	17,490
Argentina	5 400	9,233	11,141
Australia	1 816	1,921	3,577
Turkey	123	279	1,065

The totals show that while the entire quantity of wheat (flour excluded) imported during the six months was increased from 46,024,875 bushels in 1893 to 53 621,980 in 1894 and 65,033,004 in 1895, the share of the United States declined from 28,685,544 bushels in 1893 to a little more than 22,000,000 in 1894 and less than 24,500,000 in 1895. Nearly all of the increase of 19,000,000 bushels in the total was supplied by Russia and Argentina.

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RECIPE—For Making a Delicious Health Drink at Small Cost.

Adams' Root Beer Extract...One Bottle
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Lukewarm Water.....Two Gallons.

Dissolve the sugar and yeast in the water, add the extract, and bottle; put in a warm place for twenty-four hours until it ferments, then place on ice when it will open sparkling and delicious.

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Palace Embroideries, Moorish Draperies, Mosque Hangings, etc.
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A Marvellous Rug belonging to the late Shah Suleyman, of Persia, will be exhibited.

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Take notice that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage dated the 12th day of January, 1891, and registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B.C., in Charge Book, Vol. 9, Fol. 710, tenders will be received up to the 15th day of August, 1895, for the purchase of the lands following, namely: Lots 55, 59, 58 and 62, Courtenay Townsite, Comox District, B.C., together with the frame building thereon, known as the "Riverside hotel," and all outbuildings, etc.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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DUMBLETON & ELLIOTT,
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THE CHICAGO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, B. H. John, Free Miner's Certificate No. 53,319, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Chicago Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mining Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au3 2mo

THE ALBERNI MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Jane Saunders, Free Miner's Certificate No. 53,379, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Alberni Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au2-2mo

MATERNITY (ate Samaritan) Home, removed to larger premises, at 199 Johnson street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or to Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or to Mrs. Wimmerfelh, Gorge Road. au

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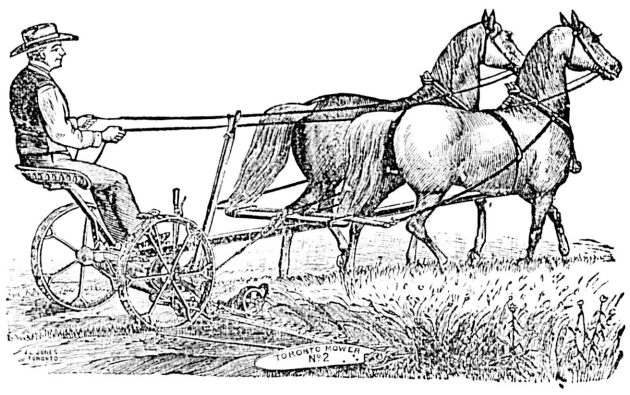

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Cor. Yates and Douglas Sts.
NICE STORE.
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A very large assortment of Christie Biscuit just arrived.

AUCTION SALES.

Aug. 6—Tobacco. Joshua Davies.
Aug. 7—Furniture. H. Cuthbert & Co.
Aug. 7—Rugs, etc. H. Cuthbert & Co.

The auction sale advertised at Cuthbert's salerooms for to-day is postponed until to-morrow. See to-night's Times and to-morrow's Colonist.

THE CITY.

THE argument in Coughlan & Mayo v. the City was finished yesterday. Judgment was reserved.

BELLEVILLE street, between McClure and Birdcage walk, has been closed to traffic during the prosecution of repairs.

ON Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the city council will have a conference with a committee from the Jubilee hospital directors on health matters.

MR E. A. PAULINE, organist of Christ Church cathedral, gave an interesting and much appreciated organ recital on the conclusion of the regular evensong service last Sunday.

IT is worth one's while to see a display of pictures now exhibited at Savannah's, Five Sisters Block. For modern composition, beauty of pose and permanency they are unexcelled.

THE almost incalculable damage to the Oriental rice crop, reported in press dispatches during the past few days, is looked to to create an increased demand for Pacific Coast flour. A rise in prices may confidently be looked for.

A SECOND conference between the city council and the property owners directly interested in the abatement of the Johnson street ravine nuisance will be held this evening, when a definite plan and estimate from the city engineer will be given consideration.

COL. PRIOR, M.P., will act as chairman this evening of the lecture to be given at A.O.U.W. hall by Captain Beck, in aid of his project for the education and assistance of the blind The address is to be given under the patronage of Lieut.-Governor Dewdney.

AN unfortunate bluejacket who, while on "a bit of a spree," broke the large plate glass in A. B. Erskine's show window, was yesterday committed for trial on the charge of doing malicious damage to property. He and a plain drunk had the police court all to themselves.

REV. J. F. BETTS officiated Sunday at the funeral of the late A. J. Rowbotham, the services of the A. O U. W. also being conducted at the graveside. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. F. Gilchrist, R. Dinsdale, G. H. Maynard, A. Gonnason, D. Lindsay and B. Williams.

RUMOR has it that another summer will see a spacious hotel and numerous cottages erected on the shores of Cordova Bay, one of the most charming spots in the vicinity of Victoria, as well as the site of the finest beach and warmest water for sea bathing. Mr. J. A. Lawrence, who recently acquired considerable property in this neighborhood, is understood to have the improvement project in view, Cordova Bay, by the construction of the V. & S. railway, having been brought much closer to the city. The connecting road is now almost completed.

DR ALLEN GRIFFITHS gave two lectures on Sunday, one to the prisoners at the provincial jail and the other one in the evening at Theosophical hall. His evening subject was "The Evolution of the Thinker," at which a large and interested audience was present. The speaker set forth some of the leading principles of theosophy, how the soul, the thinker of each man, which returns to earth and enters other human bodies, will continue to do so until it has exhausted earthly possibilities for progress and then leave this earth for higher spheres whereon to continue its mending career.

THAT very large portion of the public who each Wednesday and Saturday evening have so much appreciated the concerts given by the band of the B. C. B. G. A. at Beacon hill park will experience genuine regret at the announcement that there will be no music this week. The reason is a very plain, matter-of-fact and prosaic one—the appropriation is exhausted and the band cannot be expected to play for nothing. Someone has suggested the opening of a popular subscription toward securing a continuance of the concerts through the summer season and it is possible that something may be done in this direction. In no other way does it seem likely that the concerts will continue to draw their bi-weekly crowds to the city's breathing place.

THE lady managers of the B.C. Protestant Orphanage held their regular monthly meeting at the home yesterday, the acting president, Mrs. C. Kent, in the chair. An application for the admission of three orphan children was favorably entertained and referred to the committee of reception. All the little ones were reported in good health by the matron, who also announced that a special donation of three barrels of flour, 200 pounds of oatmeal and 10 gallons of syrup had been received from "A Friend." The ladies also acknowledge with thanks the following donations during July: "Upwards and Onwards," forwarded by Lady Aberdeen's private secretary; invitation to attend the United Presbyterian picnic at Goldstream; cherries, Mr. Thornton Fell; the Daily Colonist, from the proprietors; clothing, Mrs. Charles Hayward, Mrs. Englehart and Mrs. J. W. Williams; cherries, Mrs. Archibald; books, Mrs. Loat; clothing, Mrs. W. A. Dier; peas, Mrs. Jackson; clothing, Mrs. G H. Maynard; vegetables, Mrs. J. Bryden; fruit, Mr. H. Barnard; clothing, Mrs. Harvey; plums, Mrs. Earle; clothing, Mrs. Morrison; and milk (daily), Mrs. Knowles.

THE return of Misses Anderson, Good, De Bou and Atkinson from a trip round the Island is announced.

THE monthly commanding officer's parade of the B C G.A., which in ordinary course would have taken place on Thursday of this week, has been declared "off."

OWING to to the bush fires which are raging between here and Nanaimo, telegraphic communication with the Mainland was cut off during the greater part of yesterday.

WHILE bathing in Esquimalt harbor yesterday Chas. McNeill and Ernest Kelly had an experience with a devil-fish which will no doubt give them a nervous dread of that water in future. With two others they fought with the fish for some time before being able to take it ashore.

THE fast and comfortable Kingston was practically given over to the Doolittle Republican Club, of Tacoma, on her regular trip to Victoria, Sunday, the solid citizens composing the association turning out with their wives and families, relatives and friends to have a pleasant outing. There was a limited sale of tickets for the excursion, to that overcrowding was out of the question. Fothing was overlooked in the arrangements, even an orchestra being provided for the trip and the wheeling members of the company being permitted to take their bicycles ashore without vexatious delays at the customs house. Stop-over privileges being provided, a number of the excursionists remained in the city until the sailing of the Sehome yesterday.

Passengers for all points East in Canada and the United States should take advantage of the cheap rates and quick time made by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Passengers have the option of going via steamer from Fort William to Owen Sound or Fort William to Windsor. The express steamers Athabasca, Alberta and Manitoba comprise the finest lake fleet afloat. Meals and berths are included in the fares on the lake steamers. For steamer accommodation, tickets, etc., apply to Geo. L. Courtney, agent, corner Government and Fort streets, Victoria, B.C. x

FROM ALASKAN SHORES.

Six Survivors of the Wrecked Schooner "C. G. White" Reach Victoria on Sunday Night.

Big Robbery of Sea Otter Skins—Fine Weather in the North—Mining Operations.

Six disabled members of the lost steam schooner C. G. White, of San Francisco, were passengers from Alaska on the mail steamer City of Topeka, which called here on Sunday evening. They did not land here, but went on to the Sound, expecting to go by rail for San Francisco, where their homes are all situated. They are all more or less injured by their trying experiences in April last. One, E. B. Ball, who was the chief engineer of the unfortunate vessel appears to be the worst off of any of his companions, at least he was the only one who was unable to crawl to the deck of the Topeka when she tied up at the wharf. Both his feet were cut off just above the ankles and he is still in need of medical treatment. Frank Sweeney, to whom the press is indebted for several of the already published reports of the wreck, was the most fortunate of the six and is comparatively well. Gus Wilkstrom is suffering from the loss of the big bone and three toes of his right foot; E. J. Voisinent had a few toes on his left foot frozen off, and F. H. Murray lost half his right foot. M. Mathics had the big toe on his right foot amputated, and F. F. Rogers, who missed the Topeka at Juneau, had the big toe and three others cut off his right foot. The men speak very highly of Dr. Dickinson, who cared for them at Emergency hospital, Wood island, and say it is to him that they owe their lives. As is already known the remaining nine survivors of the 27 who manned the White have already returned from Alaska. The striking of the vessel on the rocky coast of Low Cape in a snow storm in April last, the men's wonderful escape from the vessel after clinging to the rigging in severe cold for several hours, their life of starvation in a snow cave afterwards, and their subsequent rescue and lodging in the hospital are all facts no doubt familiar to the public and fearful to remember. A complete history of the whole affair has been written by Frank Sweeny and a few of the others have also described their experiences.

Two priests from Northern Alaska and four or five tourists also came down and landed here. All report a good trip, the weather with one day's exception having been fine throughout the voyage.

The schooner Olga, which arrived at Sitka from Kyak on the evening of the 21st of July, brought news of the stealing of some six thousand dollars' worth of sea otter skins from the Alaska Commercial Co.'s store at Nutchuk. The robbery occurred on the morning of the 5th of July. Two men are suspected of the crime. They had been at Nutchuk but a short time, having arrived there in an open boat and claimed to be prospecting. It is thought that they sailed for some port in the southern part of Alaska, and the captain feels confident that the Olga reached Sitka in advance of them. The agent of the company at Sitka immediately offered a reward of one thousand dollars and sent word to Killisnoo and Juneau hoping to capture the thieves and secure the skins.

The tug Portland was wrecked in Yess bay by drifting upon some sharp rocks, cutting a hole in the hull. Everything of value was saved and the loss is about $1,500.

An Alaska exchange says the sea otter, once so numerous in Behring sea, are rapidly diminishing in numbers and will soon be utterly exterminated.

Mining operations in several parts of Alaska are reported to be dismal failures in many of the districts worked in.

SUDDENLY ATTACKED.

Children are often attacked suddenly by painful and dangerous Colic, Cramps, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, etc. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is a prompt and sure cure which should always be kept in the house.

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UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY . . :

W. & J. WILSON, OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

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the eight who have qualified taking equal chances in one final "settler."

VANCOUVER'S SATURDAY MEETING.

Entries close on Wednesday (to-morrow) for the race meeting of the Burrard bicycle club, which is to be held on their four lap cinder path at Brockton Point next Saturday. The programme contains seven events as follows: Mile novice; ¾ mile open; one mile handicap; half mile open; one mile, boys under 16 years; two mile handicap, and three mile handicap.

POLO.

INTERESTING MATCH TO DAY.

The sides for this afternoon's polo match are Victoria and Cowichan (combined) v. the Army and Navy; Mr. Robert Musgrave will play for Cowichan in the place of Mr. Tycehurst, and a very close and exciting match is looked forward to. Cars will run to the grounds at 4 p.m., and play will commence at 4:30 o'clock.

CANOEING.

At an executive meeting of the Victoria Canoe club yesterday, the resignation of E. Brammer as secretary-treasurer was received and accepted with regret. Mr. F. G. White was elected to fill the vacancy. William Christie was elected a member of the executive committee to fill the vacancy caused by the decease of the late A. Rocke Robertson, and Gordon Hunter, E. Thain and L. P. Duff were elected to membership.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

Foxball Keene's "Bohemian" won the Bank Holiday handicap yesterday, and Mo Alpine the Hounslow plate.

The shilling fund toward the United Empire testimonial to Dr. Grace, the world's greatest cricketer, is now open at the COLONIST office, where subscriptions will be received for forwarding to the London Telegraph. The following are acknowledged: H. J. Martin, J. T. Wilkinson, D. E Campbell and C. W. Rhodes.

A GREAT run of sockeye salmon struck the Fraser river on Sunday and heavy catches are reported.

TRIUMPH lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O U. W., will hold a social and dance at the A.O.U.W. hall to-morrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Richardson's orchestra will play for the dance, this is the first social and dance given by the new ladies' lodge.

Wonder 5 minute ice cream freezers at Perry & Turner's, 42 Johnson street.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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Asbestos pipes 50c. each, at Harry Salmon's. x

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Gratefully yours,
ELIZABETH GILHULA,
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Three cents per pound will be paid for White Rags at this office.

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The whole will be sold at a low price and upon the most reasonable terms. It is a chance seldom offered for a man with the necessary capital to acquire a property which will pay a handsome profit. The land, as population on the Coast increases, must necessarily rapidly advance in value.

For terms and any further particulars apply to "DELTA," care of the Colonist office.

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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, we will offer you your choice without reserve, of any Boy's or Youth's Suit (Sizes 22 to 36) in our entire stock, at

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Do you know what this means? It means that on every dollar you spend here, we will give you a discount of 33 cents. This is no fake sale, but a genuine sale of seasonable goods at a price never before heard of in Victoria.

BOYS FREE. { Besides the money we save your parents, we will give you a nice present with every Suit during this Sale.

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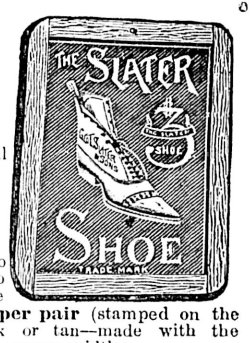

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EXHIBITION ON THE LATEST SOCIETY DANCING.
A O U W. HALL, FRIDAY EVE'G, AUGUST 9.

All lovers of delightful music and dancing will find plenty of amusement on the evening of August 9th, at the A.O.U.W. Hall. Ten new artistic dances, with beautiful and special music, will be presented by Prof. M. C. Aker, assisted by a number of young dancing people (specially trained for the occasion). Tickets are 50 cents, because we want you all to see the latest compositions of modern dancing and to criticise our works. Interesting speeches on dancing, teaching, how dancing should be introduced, etc. All new features presented at intervals not to interfere with those wishing to dance. At the conclusion a Grand Ball.
Respectfully,
au4 M. C. AKER, Member A.N.A.M.O.D.

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NOTICE.

Belleville St., between McClure St. and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
aug 3 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Menzies Street, between Belleville St. and Superior Street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
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NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between the undersigned, John Robert Jennings, Moses McGregor and George Jeeves, as brick manufacturers, under the style or firm name of "McGregor & Jeeves," has been dissolved as from the 8th day of June, instant, by mutual consent. The said John Robert Jennings will carry on the said manufacture of bricks in his own name, and will receive all amounts due to the late partnership and will pay all the debts thereof. The said Moses McGregor and George Jeeves will continue to carry on their business as contractors under the style or firm name of "McGregor & Jeeves." Dated the 3rd day of June, 1895 McGREGOR & JEEVES. JOHN R. JENNINGS. Witness -C. Dubois Mason.
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LATEST FASHIONS.

FANCY WAISTS AND GOWNS IN THIN FABRICS.

Batiste Is Popular For Waists as Well as Entire Dresses—Minor Accessories In Gauzy Materials—Swiss Organdie and India Mull Are In Great Demand.

Fortunately for the woman with a limited purse outdoor sports are more fashionable than indoor entertainments, which require elaborate dress, and she can revel all day long in a simple outing suit of the latest cut with the consciousness of having the correct thing, whether she can play the fashionable games or not. Fancy waists, too, are a great boon to the woman with few gowns, and every imaginable variety of blouse and vest, from the daintiest chiffon and embroidered batiste novelty to the simplest shirt waist which is plain enough to bear out its name, is worn morning and afternoon.

FANCY WAISTS FOR HOT WEATHER.

Fancy waists of every description are still a special feature of fashion, and despite the fact that there is a tendency to discard them will be worn throughout the season. Silk waists of shot glace, in various colors, of dainty dresden and pompadour patterns, and plaids of every size, from tiny checks to large squares, are worn on the street, for driving and for dress occasions, with black satin and crepon skirts, and when the right colors are chosen the plaid silk waists are an effective combination with tan and brown crepon skirts. A wide double box plait, which almost covers the entire front, is a popular style for making these waists.

Batiste in plain light shades is much used for odd waists, as well as entire dresses. A dainty one of pale blue is trimmed elaborately in front with cream white embroidered insertion and frills of narrow lace. The collar and belt are of blue satin ribbon, and a wide pointed collar of lace and insertion falls over the collar band. The elbow sleeves are striped with insertion and finished with a band of embroidery and frills of narrow edging. Another very stylish waist is made of oriental silk and shows the wide box plait in front below a yoke of pink satin covered with black chiffon fulled and bunched into narrow puffs, with rows of black silk beading run through with black satin baby ribbon. A deep frill of the chiffon edged with three rows of the ribbon finishes the shoulders.

Some of the prettiest waists are made of cream white embroidered batiste after the same models which are used for silk and more expensive materials. They are made over colored silk linings or without any lining, if coolness is desired, fulled blouse fashion at the neck and belt, or made with a yoke and finished at the neck, belt and elbow sleeves with white or dresden ribbon.

Holland colors and dark ecru are popular for batiste gowns. Embroidered batiste, in holland color, made over a white silk lining, forms a charming waist, with bright plaid silk for the neck and belt, and can be worn with almost any skirt, and the same batiste, cream or ecru in color, is used for the waists of silk, canvas and crepon gowns, with sleeves like the skirts, and with spreading collars or epaulets of embroidery. A gown of this description is shown in the New York Sun, authority for the foregoing. The silk is black and white

CHECKED GOWN WITH BATISTE WAIST.

check, and the batiste is made over a blue silk lining. Besides the batiste gowns and separate waists there are no end of minor accessories of dress made of this transparent material, tucked and lace trimmed, which give a dainty touch to a gown, yet are inexpensive. Chemisettes, turnover collars, cuffs, tiny points and squares are displayed in all the shops, and wide collars of batiste and lace are so generally used for the decoration of summer gowns that they have become a familiar feature of fashion.

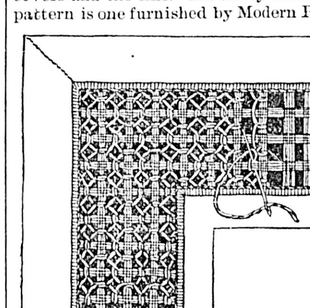
An economical way to have variety in the thin waists which require lining is to have one well fitted silk underbodice which can do duty for them all. Aside from batiste there are three other fabrics which have been exalted to a high place on the list of fashionable materials for thin gowns, and these are swiss, organdie and india mull, which, made up over colored taffeta silks, form very elegant gowns.

Frying Fish In Olive Oil.

The art of frying fish in olive oil was imparted to western nations by the Jews. They found in the Italians and French receptive pupils, but in the English they encountered an obstinate allegiance to lard, which has never wavered in favor of any other medium. As our culinary traditions are deprived largely from the English, lard or the fat of salt pork for frying is almost universally used in the United States. The New York Sun, which calls attention to the foregoing, explains that the superior merit of oil in this form of cooking is found in its limpidity and freedom from foreign matters. Moreover, the results obtained are more certain. The Jews excel in frying as much on account of the minute attention which they give to the preparation of the fish before placing them in the boiling oil as from the use of that medium.

Border In Drawn Work.

Drawn work borders are exceedingly useful for table and bed linen, buffet covers and the like. An easily executed pattern is one furnished by Modern Pris-



PATTERN IN DRAWN WORK.

cilla. It is extremely effective, and any one with good eyesight will have no difficulty in following it. This design can be used for the corners only, or it could be carried round the entire piece.

Nervous debility is a common complaint, especially among women. The best medical treatment for this disorder is a persistent course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla to cleanse and invigorate the blood. This being accomplished, nature will do the rest.

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By Order of the Board of Trustees.

au1-9t ARNOLD MORPHY, Bursar.

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NOTICES.

No. 247.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the "Sewerage Commissioners' Appointment and Sewerage Assessment By-law," No. 231.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. That the third section of the preamble of the "Sewerage Commissioners' Appointment and Sewerage Assessment By-law, 1894," be struck out.

Sec. 2. That sections 1, 2, sub-sections (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, sub-section (a), sections 9 and 13 of the said by-law are hereby repealed.

Sec 3. This by-law may be cited as "The Sewerage Commissioners' Appointment and Sewerage Assessment Amendment By-law, 1895."

Passed the Municipal Council the 5th day of July, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 8th day of July, 1895.

[L.S.] JOHN TEAGUE, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above notice is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 8th day of July, A.D. 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that any one desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

jy12 C. M. C.

No. 248.

RATES AND TAXES BY-LAW, 1895.

THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows

1. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, an equal rate of fifteen mills on the dollar upon all the land upon the Assessment Roll for the year 1895 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon.

2. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, an equal rate of fifteen mills on the dollar upon all improvements upon the Assessment Roll for the year 1895 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at their assessed value thereon.

3. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, a special rate of one mill on the dollar upon all land upon the Assessment Roll for the year 1895 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon, for Board of Health and Hospital purposes, additional to the sum mentioned in section 170 of the "Municipal Act, 1892."

4. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, a special rate of two mills on the dollar upon all land upon the Assessment Roll for the year 1895 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon, for school purposes, additional to the sum mentioned in section 170 of the "Municipal Act, 1892."

5. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the Collector of the said Corporation, at his office, at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 30th day of August, A.D. 1895, and all persons who pay the aforesaid rates or taxes on or before the 31st day of October, A.D. 1895, shall be entitled to a discount or reduction of one-sixth of the amount thereof.

6. The rates and taxes on land or on improvements which are unpaid on the 31st day of December, A.D. 1895, shall bear interest therefrom until paid in full, at the rate of six per centum per annum thereon.

7. The terms "land" or "improvements," as used in this by-law, shall have the meaning set forth in section 2 of the "Municipal Act, 1892," and amending Acts.

8. Any by-law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by-law is and are hereby repealed in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but got otherwise, so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law.

9. This by-law may be cited as the "Tax By-law, 1895."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 12th day of July, 1895.

[L.S.] JOHN TEAGUE, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 12th day of July, A.D. 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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"	Etruria	Aug 24
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White Star Line	Britannic	Aug 14
"	Majestic	Aug 21
Red Star Line	Berlin	Aug 14
"	Westernland	Aug 21
North Ger. Lloyd	Lahn	Aug 13
"	Neckar	Aug 15
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"	Circassia	Aug 24
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11.45 pm	38	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	82	...... Seattle......	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar. *...Tacoma..... Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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NOTICE.

The following streets are closed to public traffic: Yates Street, between Blenchard and Vancouver Streets, and and Fort Street, between Quadra and Blanchard Streets.

E. A. WILMOT,

jy18 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Pandora Street between Blanchard and Quadra Streets is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

July 29, 1895. jy30

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of dogs are requested to take notic that the tax for the year 1895 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the "Pound By-law" and the "Revenue By-law, 1893," will be enforced with respect to any suchltax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized collect the above tax.

CHAS. KENT, Collector.

City Collector's Office, City Hall,

Victoria, B.C., May 22nd, 1895. my23-t

RAILWAYS

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y.

TIME TABLE No. 24,

To take effect at 8,00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass. Sat. & Sun	M'ls Vic.	STATIONS.	M'ls Wel.	SOUTH BOUND—READ UP No. 1 Pass. Daily.	No. 3 Pass Sat. & Sun.
De. 8.00 am	De. 4.50 pm		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.20 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm
" 8.04	" 4.55	1	Russell's	77	" 12.16	" 8.25
" 8.14	" 5.03	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.06	" 8.18
" 8.17	" 5.06	5	Stewart's	73	" 12.03	" 8.15
" 8.20	" 5.09	6	Parson's Bridge	72	" 12.00	" 8.12
" 8.27	" 5.15	8	Langford	70	" 11.53	" 8.06
" 8.37	" 5.24	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.43	" 7.57
" 9.05	" 5.52	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.15	" .30
" 9.30	" 6.14	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" .10
" 9.40	" 6.22	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" .02
" 9.55	" 6.31	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.25	" 6.53
" 10.05	" 6.38	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.15	" 6.46
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.10	" 6.42
" 10.20	" 6.49	43	Somenos	35	" 10.00	" .35
" 10.27	" 6.58	47	Westholme	31	" 9.53	" 6.26
" 10.42	" 7.08	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.38	" 6.15
" 11.00	" 7.26	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.57
" 11.09	" 7.35	62	Oyster Bay	16	" 9.11	" 5.48
" 11.40	" 8.08	73	Nanaimo	5	" 8.40	" 5.15
Ar. 12.00 n'n	Ar. 8.25	78	Wellington		De. 8.20 am	De. 5.00 pm

On Saturdays and Sundays

Cheap excursion tickets will be issued to and from all points, good to return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for fifteen days including day of issue.

Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

Mileage and Commutation Tickets can be obtained on application to the Ticket Agent, at Victoria, Duncan's and Nanaimo Stations.

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7:00 a.m. Lv...SPOKANE...Ar. 6:50 p.m

On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays trains will run through to Nelson, arriving at 5:40 p.m. making close connection with the steamer Nelson for Kalso and all lake points, arriving at Kalso at 9:00 p.m. same days. Returning passengers will leave lake points and Nelson on Mondays; Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving at Spokane same days.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

For TRAIL CREEK MINES, connect at Northport with stage daily.

For Nakusp and Revelstoke, connect at Northport with boat on Wednesdays and Saturdays. ja1

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Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all transcontinental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam Its equipment is superb. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

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" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.

" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m

" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. ap25

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 27

Takes effect June 21st, 1895.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

Victoria & Sidney Railw'y

TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Victoria Lv	1	a m	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p m	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak.......	1	a m	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p m	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake	1	a m	7:23	7 23	9:23
	3	p m	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton	1	a m	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p m	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney ....Ar	1	a m	7:48	7:48	9:48
	3	p m	4:48	2:48	2:48

GOING SOUTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Sidney. Lv	2	a m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p m	5:15	5:15	5:00
Saanichton	2	a m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p m	5:28	5:28	5:13
Elk Lake	2	a m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak.......	2	a m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria ......Ar	2	a m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p m	6:08	6:08	5:50

Satisfactory arrangements will be made with parties desiring to charter trains special cars or steamer for picnic or other excursions.

Close connection made at Sidney with steamer Mary Hare for Salt Spring and other Island ports.

T. W. PATERSON, General Manager.

THE STEAMER

"MARY HARE,"

Running in connection with the Victoria & Sidney Railway, will sail as follows:

MONDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 8 a.m. for Cowichan Wharf, Burgoyne Bay and Vesuvius, returning to Sidney for 5 p.m. train for Victoria.

TUESDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 4 a.m. for Nanaimo, calling at Fulford, Ganges Harbor and all other way ports, returning to Ganges Harbor.

WEDNESDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Fulford and Sidney, connecting with morning train for Victoria, thence to Cowichan Wharf and Vesuvius Bay, thence to Sidney and return to Ganges Habor.

THURSDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 7 a.m. for Sidney, calling at Mayne, Saturna, Pender and Moresby Islands and all other way ports.

FRIDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 5 p.m. for Moresby, Pender, Saturna and Mayne Islands and Ganges Harbor.

SATURDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Sidney and way ports.

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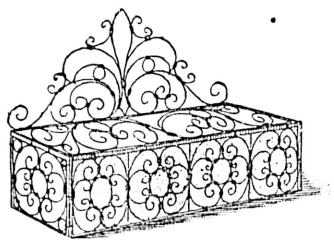


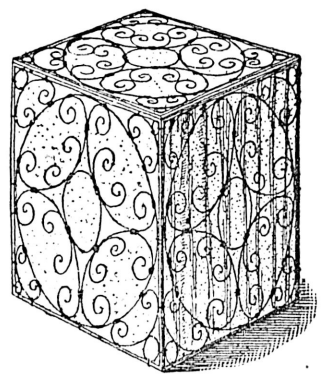
IRONWORK MATCHBOX.

The uses to which a box is to be put will govern its size and to some extent its design also. Thus a very light and graceful pattern would be chosen for a small matchbox, while a bold and striking one would be used for a box intended to hold sticks of firewood beside the open hearth. Between these two extremes may be found sizes suitable for all requirements, and designs may always be obtained or improvised to accord with any purpose.

Among a number of artistic designs sketched and described in The Delineator is a suggestion for a pretty matchbox that can be arranged to stand on a table or be suspended upon a wall or other convenient surface. A good size for a box of this description is 3½ inches long by 1 inch high and wide, with the back scrollwork about 2 inches high. The box should be provided with a lid hinged at the back, should have a wooden bottom and should be lined with some attractive material to keep the matches from working out through the intersections in the grilles. The metal strips used for such a box should be not more than one-sixteenth of an inch broad, as a larger size would produce a heavy appearance that is to be avoided in articles of small size.

The pattern for an artistic cuffbox is also furnished by the authority quoted, and if substantially carried out in iron or brass it will produce a strong and serviceable receptacle. It may be made 4 or 5 inches square and 5 or 6 inches deep, and for such a size the scrollwork should be done in metal strips about an eighth of an inch wide. The framework may be constructed of a square iron or brass rod or of ordinary soft wire of suitable size. The design is the same for all four of the sides, and the top is like the sides, with the exception that its center is circular while that of each side is oval.

To finish the box first give the scrolls several thin coats of berlin black, letting each coat dry perfectly before adding the next. Then line the box with heavy silk, sewing it firmly to the scrolls, and secure the lid to one side of the box with hinges or with ribbon bows, which may match or contrast with the silk used to line. A collar box of similar design could be made 6 inches square and about 3 inches deep, with a lining arranged as described and a lid hinged on one side. A handy combination box could be produced by making the two sizes together as one box, one side to be used for cuffs and the other for collars. In such a case one side of one box may be omitted.



DESIGN FOR CUFFBOX.

The foregoing are only two of the many patterns that can be given in this department of ironwork, but they will doubtless prove suggestive to readers who possess a little originality.

Ginger Cookies.

One cupful of molasses, a cupful of sugar, a cupful of butter, an egg, a large teaspoonful of ginger, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little water. Cream the butter and sugar, boil the molasses, beat the egg, and add them with the soda to the butter and sugar. Stir in flour enough to roll out.

A Nutritious Summer Drink.

Boil a tablespoonful of barley or rice flour for a quarter of an hour in a quart of water. Let get ice cold and add lemon juice and sugar to taste.

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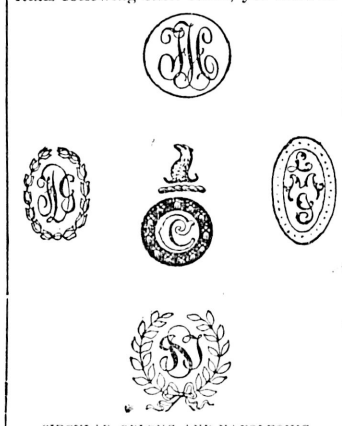
MONOGRAMS FOR STATIONERY.

The Newest Idea Is a Petite Monogram Inclosed In a Circle.

The circle die for note paper is the smartest idea of fashion's devotees at present. Impressions of these dies—often improperly written dyes—are the daintiest imaginable and are Parisian in design and emblazonment. The old fashioned monogram, ungainly in size and often indistinguishable, is out of favor. The plain and fancy ciphers, with initials following each other, yet entwining gracefully, so popular during the last few years, are also rapidly losing caste, because the circles are now almost entirely being engraved for those better informed persons in the fashionable world who appreciate good taste in all their belongings.



CIRCULAR, OBLONG AND NAPOLEONIC.

One cause of the popularity of the new style die with people of means may be its price, which is more than double that of an ordinary die. There are always those who desire something higher priced and more exclusive than others can afford, and to that class the expensive little circlet appeals. The circlet ranges in size from the top of a lead pencil to a silver dime and has either one or two circular lines inclosing a petite cipher or monogram. The popular size measures about a quarter of an inch in diameter and possesses a double circle one-sixteenth of an inch in width.

With this newest decoration for note paper comes the possibility of blending in great variety the colors and bronzes or metallic colors. The lines forming the initials of the cipher or monogram, and those of the circles, are generally embossed in one color of bronze, while the space between the circular lines, or in the center or background under the initials, is filled with plain color. Some of the blending shows color between the lines of circles with the center plain, and vice versa—the center colored, while the rim, as it is called, is left plain. When used on paper of decided tint, the center or the rim or both are left plain to allow the color of the paper to show.

Occasionally a crest in miniature or a tiny bow of ribbon is added just above the circles, and these are also blended in proper colors. The Ladies' Home Journal, authority for the foregoing, also tells that these new markings for the note sheets of the girl of today are not confined entirely to circles, but lines are drawn in the form of an ellipse, with the initials hanging one from another down the center, some of the rims being punctured with small dots. The same arrangement of blending can be had as with the circles. A further innovation is the Napoleonic wreath—oval and round in shape, with or without knots of ribbon with flying ends.

Peach Foam.

Pare and stone six soft, mellow peaches, cut them into slices, put them, with a pint of water, over the fire to come to a boil; moisten 2 tablespoonfuls of cornstarch and add to the boiling peaches. While these are cooking cover a half box of gelatin with a half cup of cold water to soak ten minutes. Add to the peaches a cupful of granulated sugar. Take from the fire and add the juice of half of a good sized lemon. With a silver spoon chop the peaches rather fine. The sponge is more delicate in this way than when they are pressed through a sieve. Now add the gelatin, turn the peaches into a pan, stand in another pan of cracked ice and stir until the mixture begins to congeal. Then stir in carefully either a pint of whipped cream or the well beaten whites of 3 eggs.

The Useful Pinafore.

Here is a pinafore of charming shape, yet it is simple and easy to make. The straight widths of material are gathered on to a shaped yoke, and the edges are all trimmed with lace or embroidery.

LITTLE GIRL'S PINAFORE.

Huckleberry Pudding.

Beat 2 eggs without separating, add a teacupful of sweet milk, 1½ cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of melted butter and beat vigorously. Stem, wash and dry on a towel a pint of huckleberries, dust them with 2 tablespoonfuls of flour, stir them into the pudding, add a heaping teaspoonful of dry baking powder, turn into a greased mold and steam an hour. Serve hot.

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THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 4, 1895.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	55°	Mean 61°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	52°		
9 a. m..	62°	Highest 71°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	68°		1 p.m.— "
5 p. m..	65°	Lowest 51°	9 p.m.— "
9 p. m..	58		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Sunshine—11 hrs. 12 min.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 5, 1895
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	53°	Mean 63°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	58°		
9 a. m..	65°	Highest 74°	5 a. m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	71°		1 p. m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	71°	Lowest 52°	9 p. m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	62°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Sunshine—10 hr. 12 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—W G Moore, W F Hall, F C Davidge, C P Burnett, W Hickey.

Per Steamer SEHOME from the Sound—Miss Johnston, L Gage and wife, Miss Anderson, M Frederickson, G J Barkfud, Mrs Ludwigeon, T Johnston, J V Johnson, R Croft, Miss Phillips, Mrs Ramsburg.

Per steamer R. P. RITHET, from Westminster—Mrs R Dickinson, Miss Cochrane, Miss Walker, Miss F G Walker, Mrs Robson, Mrs Wriglesworth, T D Lees, H F Thrift, J Moggridge, J Duffy, S H Hoskins, A Scroggs, H Bain, McB Smith, Col Peters, J Reuter, C Wilson, Rev. Tait, A D Drummond, J Patterson, R J Godfrey, A Coopman.

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DIED.

CONYERS—In this city, on the 5th instant, Gertrude Irene, infant daughter of L.U. Conyers.

Funeral will leave the residence of B. Stapledon, 73 Kings Road, TO-DAY, at 2:30. Friends will please accept this intimation.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. B. T. and Miss Rogers, of Vancouver, are visiting friends here.

M. King and M. Leiser were passengers from the Mainland Sunday evening.

S. M. Robins spent Sunday in Victoria and left for Puget Sound yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Tait was a passenger to Victoria on the R. P. Rithet yesterday evening.

Frank Terry, instructor of the Indian school at Galety, is at the New England.

W. G. Mackenzie has returned from a business cruise through the upper country.

W. H. Mead and Mrs. Mead, his mother, returned to the Sound by the Sehome yesterday.

W. M. Ward returned to Chilliwack this morning after a few days visit with Victoria friends.

Ald. McLellan leaves to-day for Banff to meet Mrs. McLellan, who is returning from a visit to New Brunswick.

A. D. Williams and James Abrahams, of Union, are paying the Capital a visit and are registered at the Oriental.

Lieut.-Colonel Peters, D.A.G., returned home from the Mainland by the New Westminster steamer last evening.

F. C Davidge, general manager of the O. R & N. trans-Pacific line, returned from Portland by yesterday's Rosalie.

Captain James Gaudin, agent of the marine and fisheries department, has returned from an official visit to the Mainland.

J. W. Bell, Nanaimo; William Lyn and H. L. Mahon, Vancouver, and Y. Henshamp and wife, Los Angeles, are guests at the New England.

Henry Brackman returned on Sunday from the Leech and San Juan river mining district, a region of whose possibilities he expresses a high opinion.

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SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Well Known Personages Leave For the Orient on Steamship "Empress of India."

More Tea Ships En Route From the Orient—Progress Made on the New Schooner.

An Ottawa dispatch says: The River Yukon, which is navigable by small craft for nearly 2,000 miles, runs for about one-third of that distance through Canadian territory and for the balance of the distance to the ocean through Alaska. There are at present two American steamers navigating it. The Canadian Pacific Navigation Company is desirous of putting a Canadian steamer on the Upper Yukon and to navigate the Canadian section of the river and take supplies to the gold fields, which are wholly in British territory. For this purpose a steamer is being built in sections in Victoria, B. C., and will be taken to St. Michael's, at the mouth of the Yukon, in Alaska, where she will be put together in bond, under permission of the United States customs authorities, and sail up the river to British waters. Thus, being built in Canada and taken in bond through the United States, she will escape the payment of duty. As already stated, she is intended for use in taking supplies to the gold fields.

SALMON AT CLAYOQUOT.

The C.P.N. steamer Maude, Captain Roberts, returned from one of her regular trips to the West Coast Sunday morning, having as passengers a number of Victoria school teachers who had spent their vacation very pleasantly at San Juan. Mining operations in the Alberni district continue to gratify those interested and redeem the fondest expectations, while the cannery at Clayoquot, established somewhat as an experiment, has already 3,000 cases of salmon ready for the market with another thousand to follow this week. The supply of fish greatly exceeds the capacity of the cannery.

TEA CONSIGNMENTS COMING.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Company have received cable advices that the sailing vessel Whittleburn left Yokohama for Tacoma on August 1, with a full cargo of tea. She is expected to arrive within about thirty days. The tea ship Dudhope is daily expected from Yokohama. She left Yokohama on June 25. According to the general record of the ship, she should have arrived on or before August 1. The tea ship Victoria is due to arrive on August 11, but men posted on matters marine look for her arrival two or three days earlier.

PUGET SOUND AND CENTRAL AMERICA.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "It is quite evident that the Puget Sound & Central American Steamship Company means business and will have the first vessel here bound for the south with merchandise within a few weeks. R. Chilcott, of Port Blakeley, is actively engaged in furthering the interests of the company. The first shipments will be in a measure experimental, but those in a position to know do not entertain any fear of the success of the enterprise."

OFF FOR THE ORIENT.

The R.M.S. Empress of India, which sailed outward bound last evening, carried no saloon passengers and little cargo from this city, though upwards of twenty Asiatics boarded her here. Her general passenger list, though a small one, contained several names that are known the world over, among them being that of Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), who will linger for some months in the Orient in the course of a round-the-world lecture tour.

THE NEW CORDOVA BAY SCHOONER.

Mr. Stafford, Mr. Moffatt and a gang of ship carpenters are making rapid progress with the new sealing schooner which is being built for the first named gentleman at Cordova Bay. The vessel will be upwards of 60 feet long, with 22 feet beam, and will show very graceful as well as serviceable lines. Mr. Stafford's last vessel, the Saucy Lass, is now doing her share of work among the seal.

MARINE NOTES.

On her last two trips the Charmer brought down from Vancouver unusually large freights.

The steamship City of Topeka sails for Alaska at 2 o'clock to-day.

A Noble Woman.

A noble woman is Miss Yolande de Comeau of New York, now Sister Anne of the Order of St. Francis. Her gift of $100,000 has reared a Destitute Blind Girls' asylum at Mount Lorelto, Staten Island. It is a three story structure of brick and granite and of cruciform shape, with large assembly and classrooms and a fine chapel and dormitory. It stands, a visible speech of the Divine Master.—New York News.

T. D. Conway, Chemainus; Captain H. H. Lloyd, Seattle; E M. Gilchrist and wife, Tacoma; A. D. Williams, Union; W. H. P Bell, Puyallup; G. Russell, Seattle, and Ramsburg and Child, of Port Townsend, are guests at the Driard.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Ald. Partridge States His Objections to the Council Delegating Powers of Appointment.

A Letter on Quarantine—Consultation To Night on the Johnson Street Ravine.

At the city council meeting last night, at which all the board were present, the following letter from the Deputy Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa was read:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
Ottawa, July 23rd, 1895.

GENTLEMEN:—I have to state to you in reply to your joint letter of the 5th instant on the subject of the action taken at the William Head quarantine station with respect to vessels entering from the Orient.

The statements in your letter are being made the subject of particular enquiry, of the results of which you will be informed. It has not been understood for some months past that cholera has been epidemic in the ports from which the steamers sail in such way as to come within the definitions in Sec 17 of the amended quarantine regulations. The department has had no definite and well authenticated reports of cases.

The newspaper reports, however, which were received in April were of a nature to move the Minister of Agriculture to direct increased vigilance on the part of the quarantine officer at William Head. He was directed (April 22nd) to the effect that while it would not be considered necessary to detain passengers if no case of cholera had occurred on board the steamship during the voyage from Yokohama, that he must enquire very strictly by the interrogatories on oath to the ships' masters and surgeons as to the fact of existence of cholera at the ports whence the passengers came, and if he found such existed to disinfect the luggage of passengers from such infected port.

You refer to the practice at the St. Lawrence ports of the Dominion, at which effect was given to the definitions of the Dresden conference, by direction of the Minister of Agriculture, on report of the General Superintendent of Canadian Quarantines. On this point I have to inform you that the information which comes from the ports of Europe is so complete as not to leave doubts as to the facts. But the department had not the same precise information as respects the presence of epidemic cholera in Japan and China. It was noticed in the newspaper reports that forms of cholera such as appear to be always present in China, had been reported in some localities. But there were no authentic reports of the disease having spread among the Chinese.

It was not reported that cholera became epidemic in Japan after the dispersion of the Japanese army on its return from China; nor was it noticed in the "Abstract of Sanitary Reports," published weekly at Washington, by the government of the United States, containing reports from the United States marine hospital service (that is the federal government quarantine system; also from the United States consular service, with other correspondence, that any unusual precautions had been taken at United States ports against vessels from the Orient.

The disinfection of all passengers' luggage of large steamers at William Head would imply a serious detention, which might affect the commerce of British Columbia ports; and for the justification of which the Minister of Agriculture should be furnished with such definite and specific information of facts, as distinct from generalisations, as would come within the definitions of the quarantine regulations. Such information being in possession there would be no hesitation to take the logical action the facts called for.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
J. LOWE,
Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

To W. J. Dowler, Esq., Clerk of the Municipal Council, Victoria, B. C., and
Geo. H. Duncan, M.D., Medical Health Officer, Victoria, B.C.

ALD CAMERON said that the health officer, Dr. Duncan, had called on him and suggested that it would be advisable for a committee to call on the Premier now that he was visiting the province and discuss the matter with him. The explanations of the matters in the letter could be made more satisfactorily in a personal interview than by writing.

ALD MACMILLAN maintained that the letter was written in the interest of the C.P.R.

ALD. MCLELLAN took Ald. Macmillan to task for bringing in politics. It was quite uncalled for, for Ald. Macmillan to assert that the C. P. R. was stronger than the government of the country in which he lived.

ALD. WILSON declared that he cared no more for the government of the Dominion than for that of the United States, and would allow no government to gag him. He took the same view as Ald. Macmillan.

ALD. BRAGG did not see the use of aldermen squabbling. He believed Ald. Cameron's idea was right, that a deputation should call on the Premier now that he was here.

ALD. PARTRIDGE agreed with this. He would also like to have the C.P.R. steamers call at the outer wharf.

The letter, at the suggestion of the Mayor, was laid over till Thursday, when the board of health meet.

A letter from the Board of Trade inquiring if the city would purchase copies of the annual report for distribution abroad was referred to the finance committee to report.

C. M. Smith, on behalf of Hon. A. DeCosmos, asked for offers for the private roads on that gentleman's property near Fernwood road.

The street committee will report upon the matter.

A request from Walkeley, King & Casey to rent the Tiger engine was referred to the fire wardens; the water commissioner will report on the request of M. R. Smith & Co. for a better water supply for their factory on Niagara street, and a petition from Robert Knowles against the contemplated diversion of sewerage matter on his property by the city was referred to the streets committee to report.

In his monthly report Chief Deasy recommended, among other things, that a hydrant be placed at the corner of Montreal and Niagara streets. This was referred to the fire wardens to report.

Mr. Hutcheson reporting on the missing 2½ miles of electric light wire said that allowing for 5 to 10 per cent. on map measurement for say, tie wires, turns, etc., and adding this to the 52 miles, it accounted for the missing wire.

ADD. PARTRIDGE still held by his contention that the wire should be measured.

At last, after some further discussion on the same lines as last week, on Ald. Macmillan's motion, it was referred to the special electric light committee appointed last spring.

For the month of July the market receipts were $106 50.

When the report of the electric light superintendent was read stating that he had, under the power conferred by the resolution passed last week, appointed Wm. Davis as fireman at the station, Ald. Partridge, on the motion to confirm the appointment, asked the following questions:

"I ask that the Mayor advise the rescinding of that part of the electric light committee's report which, in my opinion, conflicts with the municipal act for the good government of the city.

"1. The report contains a motion in the shape of a recommendation which motion should comply with sec. 88 of the municipal act.

"2. That inasmuch as provision is made in the estimates for a fireman at the electric light station at $60 per month he is one of the city officials.

"3 That the motion if adopted will violate sec. 99 of the municipal act governing appointments.

"4. That the motion if adopted will override sec. 101 of the municipal act, which states that in elections for municipal officers the voting shall be by ballot."

To this the Mayor replied by reading the following opinion:

"I am asked by Ald. Partridge to advise the rescinding of that portion of the "electric light committee's report of the 29th ult., which was adopted by the council of that date, by which authority was given to the superintendent of the electric light works to appoint a fireman at the steam plant.

The following reasons are assigned for the request, viz:

"1. That the recommendation of the report should have been a motion and notice of same posted on the bulletin board twenty-four hours before the council met on the 29th ult.

"2. That the manner of appointing the said fireman is contrary to the provisions of sections 99 and 101 of the municipal act, 1892, which point out that every municipal officer shall be appointed by resolution or elected by ballot.

"The contention is that the position of said fireman is that of an officer of the corporation and should therefore be filled in the manner defined by the said sections of that act. The contention is supported by a reference to the list contained in the schedule of what is known as the estimates by-law, as enumerating the several officers of the corporation, in which list the word 'fireman' (of the electric light works) occurs.

"If this contention is correct I conceive I should be acting quite properly in granting Ald. Partridge's request.

"While the mention of the word 'fireman' in the said schedule may be reasonably interpreted as presumptive evidence that the said fireman should be regarded as a municipal officer, it is nowhere expressly stated in the by-law that the persons enumerated in the schedule list are officers of the coporation, and, although the act and certain by-laws distinctly define certain persons to be municipal officers, I have nowhere discovered that the fireman of the electric light works is characterized as such.

"I cannot therefore conclude that the recommendation of the report is in contradiction of statute or by-laws.

"I am of opinion, however, that the appointment of all persons mentioned in the said schedule either by resolution or ballot is a safe procedure and one that should be followed in every case."

ALD. PARTRIDGE quoted Webster to show that a subordinate officer or attendant was an "official," therefore he held he had answered the Mayor satisfactorily.

THE MAYOR was not going by Webster to-night, however, and on motion of Ald. Wilson the appointment was confirmed, all the aldermen voting for it except Ald. Partridge and Cameron.

ALD. CAMERON inquired how it was that four men were employed at the electric light works when provision was made only for three.

ALD. BRAGG knew that one extra man had been hired for the test of the plant, but he did not know if the man was hired for the month. Perhaps the superintendent could explain.

The electric light committee recommended that the William Hamilton's last payment be made, but the agreement should be carefully read before this was done.

ALD MACMILLAN moved that the list of men employed by the waterworks contractors be furnished the council, to see whether the clause was carried out requiring that such men be on the voters' list or recommended by two well-known residents of the city. This was carried.

The finance committee's report against Ald. Hall's proposal for an additional $200 for band concerts, as there was no funds for the purpose, was carried.

ALD WILLIAMS drew attention to the approaching visit of the delegates looking for land on which to settle the 10,000 emigrants the Salvation Army proposed to send out from England. The matter was such an important one that he believed the city ought to exert itself to get the colony on Vancouver Island.

ALD MACMILLAN, though not opposed to immigrants, said his idea was to first settle upon the land the idle among our own people. Get the young bachelors settled down and married and have them raise families. That is what he believed in.

ALD MACMILLAN wanted to know when the report of the shelter home was to be sent in.

THE MAYOR promised to attend to both matters.

The council will meet at 7 o'clock tonight and at 8 o'clock they will have a conference with the Johnson street proprietors interested in the ravine question.

Charles H. Hutchings.

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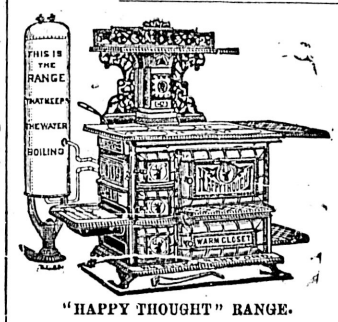

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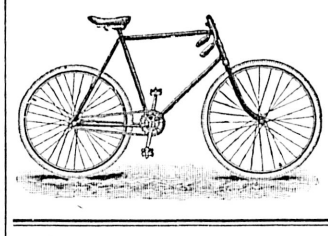

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 3rd August, 1895. au4

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C. E. RENOUF,
au2-12t Hon. Sec.

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